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## BIOLOGY HAS MADE A-BOMB OBSOLETE

St. Céroux, Switzerland, Sept. 9.—The atom bomb has been made obsolete by biological product, seven ounces of which is enough to kill everyone in the world. Dr Brock Chisholm, Canadian Director-General of the World Health Organisation, said here today.

He added: "The atom bomb is obsolete. Relatively speaking, it is child's play compared to biological weapons. A few fanatical distributors could destroy mankind by biological warfare. Manpower is irrelevant, and heavy industry has nothing whatever to do with this form of war."

He was addressing members of the World Union of Peace Organisations, a non-governmental body which is affiliated to the United Nations. The Union is holding a conference in the communal hall of this peaceful little village in the Jura Mountains.—Reuter.

## Argentina Warns Security Council

Lake Success, Sept. 9.—Argentina today warned the Security Council that she might be forced to withdraw from the Council if it refused to vote on an Argentine resolution on the admission of new members to the United Nations.

The Council was debating 12 membership applications from Finland, Italy, Austria, Elie, Jordan, Portugal, Ceylon, Bulgaria, Hungary, Albania, Rumania and the People's Republic of Mongolia.

Argentina had put forward seven separate resolutions calling for the Council to approve the first seven of these applications. A Soviet resolution called for the admission of all 12 simultaneously.

Dr Jose Arce, the Argentine delegate, had pressed the Council to vote on the applications. Several members of the Council spent the morning trying to dissuade Dr Arce from pressuring for a vote on the ground that it would needlessly increase the number of Soviet voices.

Dr Arce held to his view and said that if the Council tried to evade a vote, "I may have to give up my seat on the Council and await new instructions from my Government"—Reuter.

## Air Crash Near Quebec

Montreal, Sept. 9.—The Canadian Pacific Airlines said today that one of its DC-3 planes had crashed 40 miles from Quebec with 17 passengers and four crew aboard, and that so far none survived.—Associated Press.

## Greta Garbo Abandons Film Plans

Rome, Sept. 9.—The film star Greta Garbo is leaving Rome because she wants to be left alone. She has decided to cancel plans to make her new film, "The Duchess of Lengeris," in Italy.

She complained through a spokesman today that since her arrival here about two weeks ago she had been continuously "planned" by press photographers and the public.

The spokesman made no mention of the fact that the Italian bankers, who were to cover about 50 percent of the cost of the film, withdrew their support several days ago, nor did he say whether the film, which is to have the British actor, James Mason, as Greta Garbo's leading man, will now be made.

Miss Garbo has carried her well-known desire for privacy to new extremes since she arrived in Rome. She has taken to wearing a low-brimmed straw hat which covers nearly all her face as well as the traditional dark glasses.—Reuter.

## AMERICAN LABOUR SUPPORTS BRITAIN

Washington, Sept. 9.—America's two most powerful labour groups—the Congress of Industrial Organisations and the American Federation of Labour—came out today in strong support of the British Government's economic policy.

Mr Philip Murray, President of the CIO, said that the outcome of the sterling-dollar talks "may determine in large measure the success or failure of our whole effort to strengthen and extend democracy throughout the world."

Some "partisan and reactionary voices" laid the blame for international monetary difficulties at the door of the British Government because it was a Labour Government. Mr Murray said,

"We believe that the British Labour Government has done and is doing a remarkably good job under adverse circumstances," he stated.

The AFL recommended that dollars allotted to Marshall Aid countries to buy such commodities as rubber, tin, jute and oil be given to Britain on the understanding that Britain supplied the goods.

Britain was "not to blame for the dollar crisis," the AFL maintained.

A 10-point plan published by Mr. Matthew Woll, Chairman of the AFL Free Trade Union Committee, said that British economic collapse would be "a catastrophe of limitless magnitude for the entire freedom-loving world"—Reuter.

### CRIPPS' SPEECH

Washington, Sept. 9.—Sir Stafford Cripps, British Chancellor of the Exchequer, addressing the National Press Club in Washington today, said that sterling and other world currencies could not be made convertible until after a new world trade equilibrium was established.

Sir Stafford said he had nothing to add to previous statements on the adjustment of exchange rates.

He said that the only satisfactory solution of the dollar

### RAW MATERIALS

Sir Stafford made a spirited defence of the contribution to world trade of the Sterling Area as a system and outlined the prosperous consequences to follow if trade flowed more freely between the dollar and sterling areas.

His speech was interpreted by officials present as meaning that there was no question of Britain devaluing the Pound Sterling in the near future.

### TIMBER YARD BLAZE IN LIVERPOOL

Liverpool, Sept. 9.—Nearly 80 firemen fought for over two hours today to control blaze which swept through a timber yard near the heart of this great trading and shipping city.

The fire was described as one of the biggest in Liverpool since the war. At one point, a chemical factory and many offices and homes were threatened.

More than 50 families were evacuated as the fire spread rapidly through the timber store, with flames leaping over 60 feet.

Less than 30 minutes after the alarm had been given by a watchman, the front of the 60-foot store building crashed into the street, pulling down tram wires and blocking the road.

The only casualties were several firemen who were temporarily overcome by fumes.—Reuter.

### Four Murders May Signal New Unrest

Saigon, Sept. 9.—Indochina today feared a new wave of unrest in her main cities after a night marked by police station battle and four murders—one in Hanoi and three in Saigon.

Scene of the battle was the western suburb of Saigon, where a group believed to belong to the Vietnamese (autonomist movement) opened fire on a police station.

He said: "There is no sweeping readjustment of any single item in the complex that will influence the solution of this problem that can bring us sudden and complete relief from our difficulties"—Reuter.

### ONLY ONE WAY

He said that there was only one way in which that loss could be compensated for, "that is by earning a larger income from the sale of our goods abroad."

Sir Stafford ended his speech with a statement which was again taken by observers as indicating that he was still opposed to any change in the present pegged dollar value of the Pound Sterling at \$4.03.

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### NO SOLUTION YET

Washington, Sept. 9.—The British Foreign Secretary, Mr Ernest Bevin, said today that the dollar talks had not yet found a solution to Britain's dollar shortage, but he was confident the solution would be found.

In a surprise impromptu speech after Sir Stafford Cripps had addressed the National Press Club, Mr Bevin said that the important thing was for the statement of all three countries to acknowledge that the problem was there.

He said that one could then get the best brains to work in all the countries to find the right answer to the problem. They had not found the answer yet.—Reuter.

## EDITORIAL

### Whither Formosa?

THE island of Formosa is fast becoming of international importance. Occupied by the Chinese in the late seventeenth century, it was in 1895 ceded to Japan under the terms of the treaty of Shimonoseki. For fifty years it served as an advanced base for Japanese military expansion, while providing Japan proper with raw materials and food-stuffs. With the end of World War Two, the island was taken over by the Chinese Nationalist Government, who by Allied agreement at Cairo was permitted to occupy the island even before a formal cession by Japan, which could not occur until a peace treaty had been signed. It was to Formosa (or Taiwan) that the bulk of the Nationalist Government's wealth was removed at the beginning of the year, when it was apparent that a quick sweep southward by the Chinese Communists was likely. Chiang Kai-shek selected Formosa as a refuge where he might plan further resistance against his Communist enemies, and it is from Formosa today that the Nationalist Navy and Air Force are carrying out operations to enforce the blockade of Communist-held ports on the Chinese mainland. The status of the island has been subject to much debate. Misgovernment of the territory by the Chinese since the end of the war has not only embittered the Formosans—including the large Chinese population who have settled in the island for generations—but also aroused much sympathy abroad for the Formosan independence movement. The situation now has been further complicated by the rise to power of the Chinese Communists. Their attitude towards Formosa has been made known in recent pronouncements—

they regard themselves as the logical successors to the Nationalists as sovereign overlords of the island. And it is more than likely, sometime in the future when they have consolidated their position on the mainland, that they will attempt, either by an invasion in force or by subtler means, to seize control of the island. That they will be no more popular with the Formosans than the Nationalists have been will probably not prevent the island from being overrun. From the point of view of anti-Communists, this will be a tragic surrender, in view of what can be done to prevent such happening. From another point of view, which looks upon the arrangement whereby the Chinese Nationalist Government has been allowed on Formosa as strictly a provisional one, pending formal confirmation—or otherwise—when a peace treaty is signed with Japan, Formosa's status should not be permitted to be compromised by China's internal political squabbles. Those who subscribe to this view argue that the island should be placed under the aegis of an international regime, which would preserve its neutral status until its final disposal is agreed upon among the Powers. There is ample juridical basis for such a step. And it need prejudice neither China's case for control—for whatever Chinese Government represented at the peace conference will have the opportunity to argue it out—nor that of indigenous Formosans who favour complete independence or autonomy under Chinese suzerainty.

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## BIGGEST BOX OF CHOCOS FOR NURSES



## Arms Aid Bill Goes Through Senate

Washington, Sept. 9.—A Special Senate Committee today approved a US\$1,914,010,000 global arms aid bill with US\$75,000,000 earmarked for anti-Communist aid in the Far East.

The combined Senate Foreign Relations and Armed Service Committees voted on March 19 for the measure, which carries US\$1,000,000,000 for rearming North Atlantic Pact nations.

Only minor matters remain to be ironed out before the Committees take a final vote on the arms bill on Monday. Chairman Senator Tom Connally (Texas Democrat) of the Foreign Relations Committee, said,

As the bill now stands it also contains US\$211,370,000 for Greece and Turkey, US\$17,640,000 for Iran, Korea and the Philippines and US\$75,000,000 to be used in the Far East at the discretion of President Harry Truman.

The US\$1,000,000,000 for Atlantic Pact nations is divided—half in cash and half in authority to let contracts be paid on.

Only US\$100,000,000 may be spent before the Atlantic Pact Defence Council is organised and recommends the defence plan.

The agreement gives President Truman all the arms aid for Western Europe that he requested. The President asked for US\$1,160,000,000.—Associated Press.

## FIVE BRITONS ON LEONGBEE

Shanghai, Sept. 9.—Five British subjects are on board the motor ship Leongbee, believed to have been seized by the Nationalists as it tried to run the Shanghai blockade yesterday. They had signed on as members of the crew.

They Leongbee has no passenger accommodation for the British subjects, who had all obtained exit permits from the Communists to leave Shanghai.—Associated Press.

## GI SENTENCED TO LIFE

Stuttgart, Sept. 9.—A former teen-age American soldier was sentenced to life imprisonment today for killing a German girl and two men in a wild night of drinking and shooting. Recruit Russell Jones, of Fall River, Massachusetts, who joined the Army in 1946 when he was 19, narrowly avoided tears as he heard a U.S. military court spare him from death.—Associated Press.

## U.S. Closes

### Two More Consulates

### New Unrest

Washington, Sept. 9.—

The United States is to make sweeping reductions in its diplomatic and consular representation in Communist-held areas of China, the State Department disclosed today.

The American Consulate in Hankow is to be closed and its entire staff withdrawn, and the staffs of the American Embassy in Nanking and the American Consulate in Shanghai will be reduced by a half.

Arrangements are now being worked out for the transfer from China of the staffs affected and any other foreigners who want to leave.

The number of Americans was not disclosed, but it is believed to be large.

A State Department spokesman said that the decision had been taken in view of the attitude of the Chinese Communists towards foreign diplomatic representation.

The British Government agreed to look after United States interests in the areas affected, he said.—Reuter.

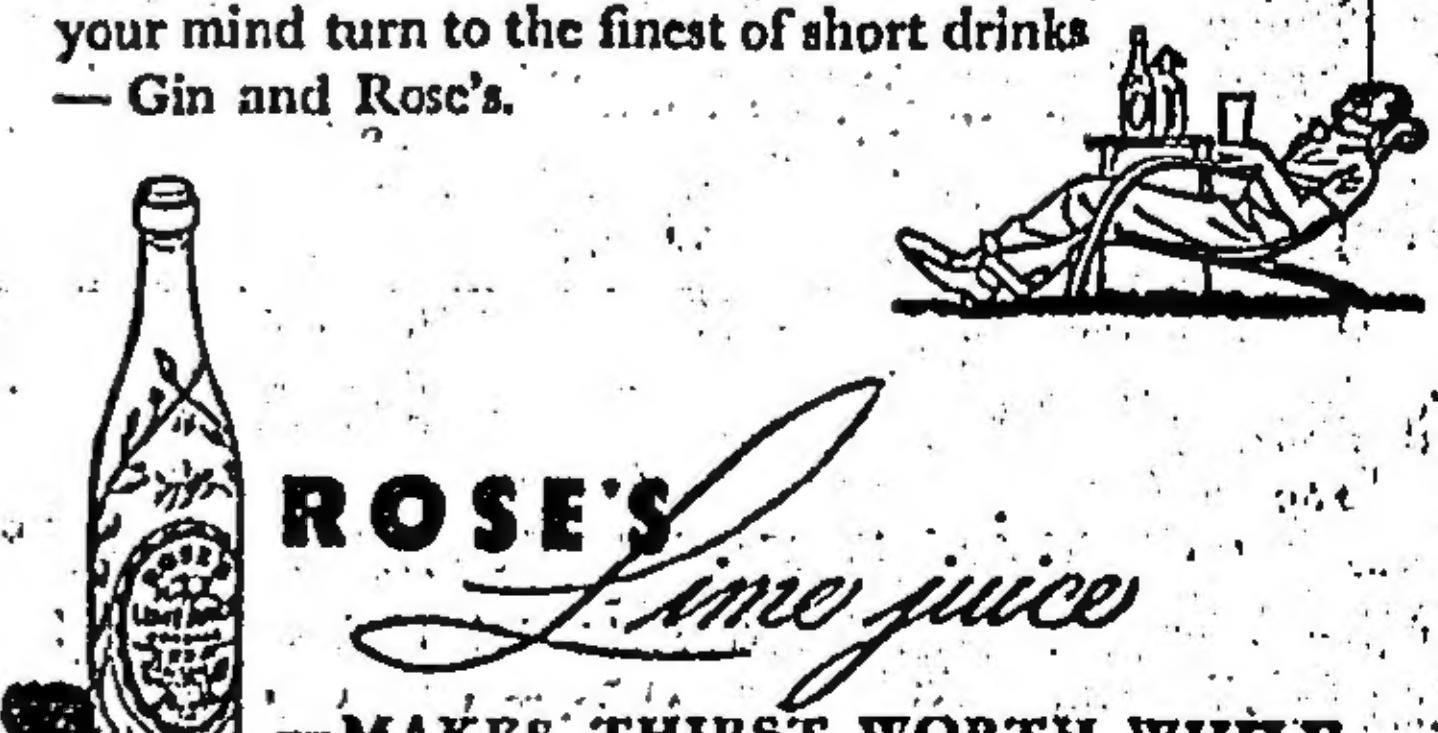
## Americans Acquire Old Indian Paper

New York, Sept. 9.—An American syndicate has bought the controlling interest in the 70-year-old Civil and Military Gazette, the oldest English-language daily newspaper published in Lahore and Karachi, Pakistan.—Associated Press.

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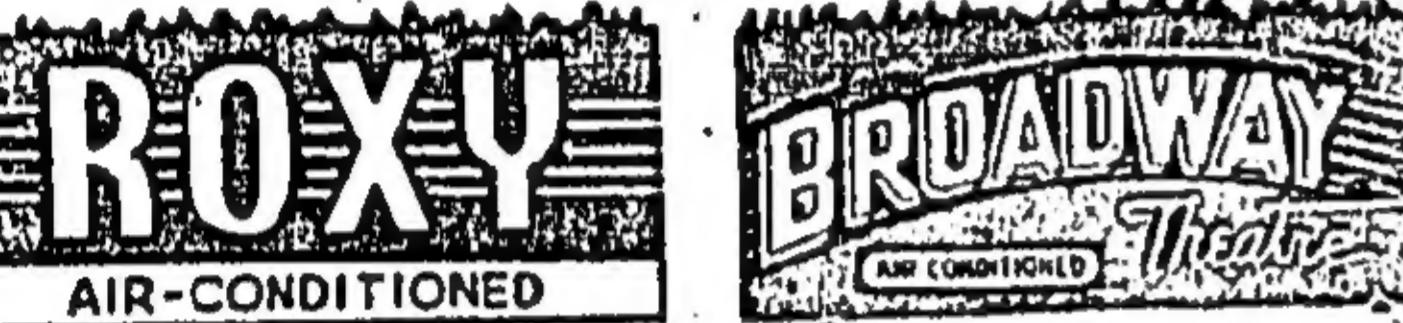
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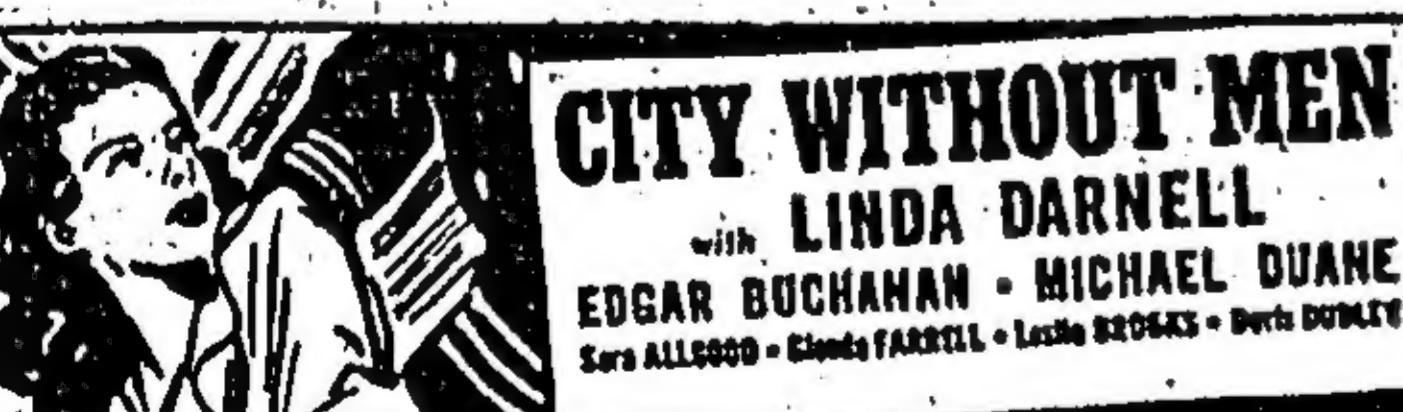
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How, you may well ask, did this relatively young man attain to this pinnacle? Did he marry the boss's daughter? Whose nephew is he? Does he know where the body is buried?

Strangely, the most effective thing he ever did was to be fired.

This Schary is a writer-by original trade. He wrote newspaper columns, plays, publicity for Admiral Byrd. His first films, with titles like "He Couldn't Take It," "Comin' Round the Mountain," and "Fury of the Jungle," were hardly loaded with significance.

But eventually he became the top producer of RKO films. Then millionaire Howard Hughes bought the studios. And as Mr. Hughes likes to make films of "The Outlaw" type, and Schary had by now risen to heights like "Crossfire," Schary found himself, vulgarly, out on his ear.

**Both films are his**

So Schary went to MGM, where the good, kind Mr. Mayer (who needed a producer badly) gave him the aforesaid fabulous contract.

But the mills of film-making grind slowly, and films "Schary made for RKO are still coming out.

One of London's specialised cinemas, the Academy, is showing an English-language programme for the first time in 18 years, and both films were made under his tutelage at RKO.

**Dame Edith's debut**

There are hopeful hints in the film art. A really imaginative and artistic British director, Thorold Dickinson, whose work we see so rarely, has been given his head in filming Pushkin's creepy tale of Czarist society "The Queen of Spades".

I dare say it helped to have a Russian-born producer in Anatole de Grunwald, for the atmosphere of the film is authentic and magnificently sustained. Dickinson has guided Dame Edith Evans in her screen debut with marked understanding. The scene in which she, as a cowering country countess, is frightened to death by Anton Walbrook is terrifyingly good.

At times Dickinson leans a little heavily on a technique which derives from the pre-war German cinema, but there is no denying his skill and style.

A young actress, Yvonne Mitchell, looks lovely in the period clothes, and acts with a genial power reminiscent of

A Headache  
Searching  
For D.P.'s

When they make a coat of arms for the Hollywood casting director, they'll include, prominently, an aspirin bottle.

This may surprise some of you who thought casting director and couch went together like sugar and cream. Oh no, says the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer casting office. A casting director's life is an unrelieved headache.

Take the request for a girl between five and eight for an important role in "The Red Danube," a story of post-war Vienna. The qualifications: thin and half-starved, of German or Austrian ancestry and speaking no English.

Now where, in the new land of milk and honey, is a casting director going to find half-starved children?

The office got in touch with refugee agencies and newspapers. Letters poured in. One youngster answered every qualification but one. He was a boy.

**HARD TO FIND**

By the time Janine Perreau, the healthy little sister of another juvenile actress, got the part, the casting office had off rounded up another 1,500 southern Californians who looked starved enough to pass for refugees in a D.P. camp. Well-fed healthy refugees were a dime a dozen. The emaciated ones the script required had to be plucked off Skid Row.

The secret of getting them to look real was picking men with false teeth. When the studio matched out the choppers, the extras looked as if they hadn't eaten a month.

For the same picture the casting office also unearthed a dozen young men 6 feet 3 inches or more tall. They were to play Russian soldiers.

It unearthed characters with beards. It classified a hundred assorted accents.

Now it's working on another order.

"For 'The Red Danube,'" the order read, "Call three (3) corps." —United Press.

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NEWEST LOVE TEAM



Cheta, whose monkeyshines highlight the Tarzan films, is teamed romantically with Jimmy, in the latest Sol Lesser production for RKO Radio release, "Tarzan's Magic Fountain," which introduces Lex Barker as Tarzan. Cheta is the one on the . . . well, one of them is Cheta.

JANETTE JOINS  
THE STARS

B RITAIN has a new child film star—ten-year-old Janette Scott. But Janette insists: "Perhaps you had better not call me that until the film is shown, and it is a success."

Janette has been playing the leading part in "No Place For Jennifer" for four months. And nobody except Leo, Genn, Rosamund John, the stars, and the film technicians knew.

Here are some facts about Britain's newest film star:

She lives with her parents in Leinster-means, Bayswater, and is in Class Primary I. at St James's School. A tutor gave her school lessons between film shoots. Her mother is actress Thora Hird.

**"NO HELP"**

Thora said "Jan got no help from me. It has taken me 10 years to get even small parts in the West End and on films,

and I don't believe that any one would take any notice of her just because she is my daughter."

"She met Bob Leonard, casting director, four years ago when I went to see him about a job for myself. Then four months ago when Mr. Leonard was working on the new film he remembered Jan and sent for her."

Thora went on to make the speech made by every mother of every child star: "I am determined to see that becoming a film actress playing leading parts at ten is going to make no difference to Jan. She stays a schoolgirl first—and the star part can come afterwards."

Jan's pocket money while she made the film was raised to £6, a week.

Her film money goes into trust for her when she grows up. Said Jan: "But I am going to get a holiday on the Riviera in August—and Daddy's going to pay for that."

In her film Janette plays the part of a little girl whose parents are divorced. Bob Leonard explained the part to her this way: "A little girl who has two homes but who only wants one."

Janette translated, "Do you mean a little girl whose parents are divorced? Oh yes—I think it will be fun."

—London Express Service

WEEK-END  
SCREEN  
FARE

Unfaithfully Yours (ROXY & BROADWAY) brings Rex Harrison together with Linda Darnell. Rex plays an aging, temperamental symphony conductor beset with the problems of a straying wife.

Linda Darnell plays the wife in a comedy-thriller that will be remembered for some top notch gags built around the difficulties of committing a perfect murder. A good supporting cast includes Rudy Vallee, Lionel Stander, Barbara Lawrence and Edgar Kennedy.

The Wake of the Red Witch (LEE) is adapted from Garland Roark's famous novel. It is a story of men who go to sea in ships and a shipping magnate's South Sea Empire. John Wayne and Gail Russell head a cast that includes Gig Young, Adele Mara and Luther Adler.

When he came to London for the first time 12 years ago Richard Widmark stayed in a £1-a-night bed-and-breakfast house off Tottenham Court-road. His first contact with Soho: buying fish and chips for supper. Now he will have a modern flat in Lowndes-square, Mayfair.

After "Kiss of Death" Widmark made "Street with No Name," "Road House," and "Yellow Sky." His latest: "Down to the Sea in Ships."

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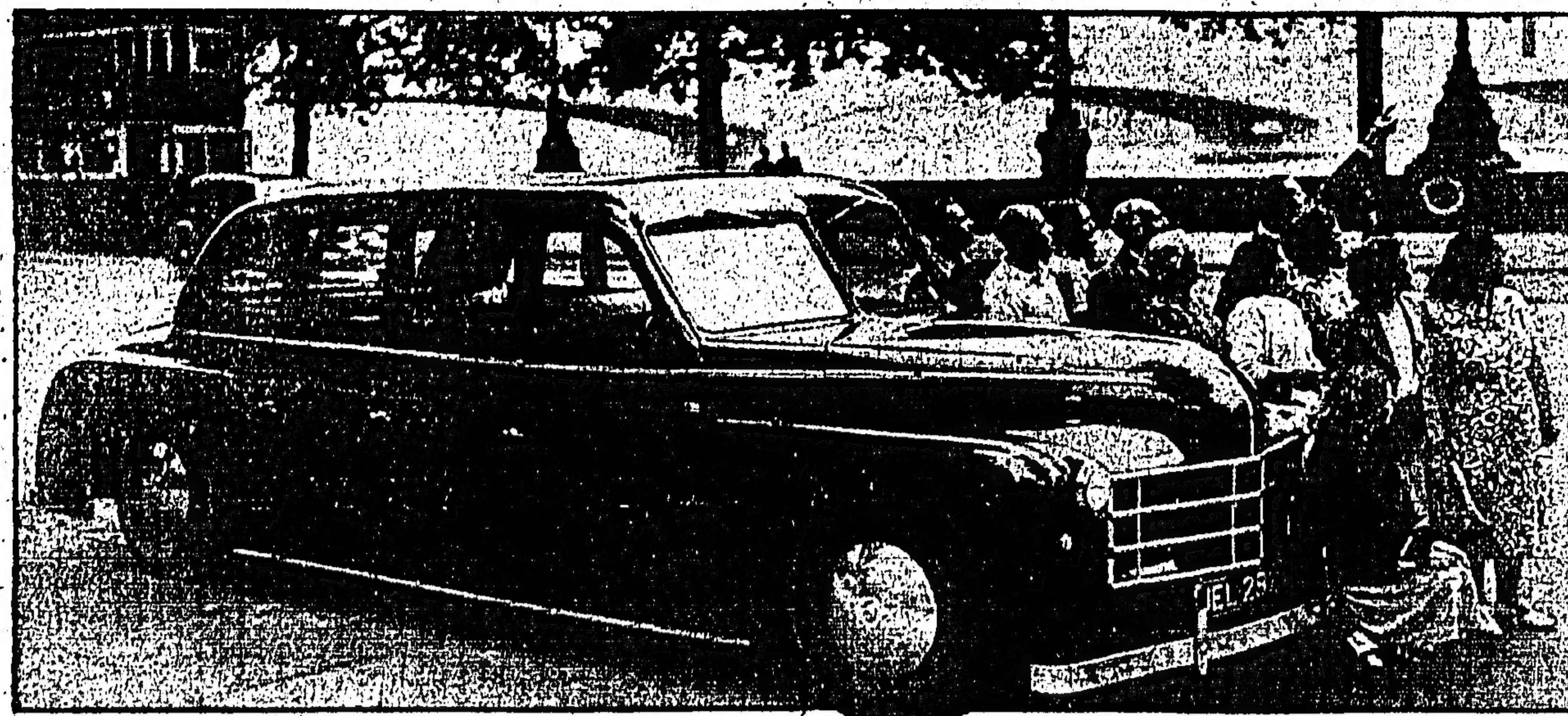
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## BUSMEN TAKE A HOLIDAY IN BRITAIN'S BIGGEST CAR



SO TIRED  
Last visitor gone? Think it's time in.

YOU'D NEVER KNOW THE ZOO AFTER DARK

by CRAVEN HILL

**LONDON.** To most of us the Zoo by day is a familiar sight. But what are the Gardens like after dark? Few know, for the Zoo today close at 7 p.m.

Gone, temporarily (owing to staff difficulties and lighting restrictions), are the "late visitors," so popular before the war, when it was possible for visitors to see what the menagerie looked like up to 11 p.m.

Those visitors—usually zoologists in search of special knowledge—who from time to time are given official permission to make a late tour of the place may have some idea. But not even the privileged few see the whole of the story. For it is only after midnight—when there is no one about but the night watchmen—that the animals, no longer "visitor-conscious," become wholly themselves, and either sleep or make merry.

### Strong nerves?

VERY few people apart from the staff, have ever spent a whole night touring the Zoo. It is a memorable experience to spend a night with some 4000 odd animals, drawn from all quarters of the globe.

Although they are not officially on duty, there are always six or seven young keepers sleeping at the lodges; and there are two night-watchmen: Paul Daly, of Turnell Park, and Fred Brum, a local man who are responsible for the safety of the exhibits. They have something like \$4 acres to patrol, and more than 60 houses to visit.

There will, too, be a night-stoker at the aquarium, keeping vigil over the menagerie's 300-odd fish.

The Zoo after dark is an eerie spot. "It's no place for nervous folk," as one night-stoker put it.

### In the caves

NOISES are of the oddest kind, and range from the weird and mournful choruses of the wolves (nearly always started by the "coyotes") to the harsh barking of the sea-lions.

Some of these animals sleep in their caves, but there is always, one left outside to act as sentry, and at the slightest footfall the whole colony is off at once.

Monkey chattering are sometimes heard, too, though the sound rarely carries far outside the grounds. What does sometimes disturb the sleep of people who live near by is the harsh yelling of the crested cranes and emus, whose voices invariably start up other inmates.

Geese never seem to go to sleep; or if they do, take mere naps. At the slightest sound they gabble noisily.

Men-ho-the giant panda, sleeps curled up on the ground, her head tucked in so securely that she looks like a great black-and-white ball. Only after breakfast does the panda climb to the lofty cage-top, perch from which, on most days, she blandly surveys her visitors.

## The NIGHT and the MUSIC

BY CRAVEN HILL

AND SO TO BED

Flamingos go quietly

himself makes a late tour of the grounds each evening, armed with his "tour ten." And a useful "bar" he gets, especially during August.

Worst places just now are the north bank, peafowl's aviary, and, rather surprisingly, the sealions' pond. Why? Well," says Mr. Cansdale, a little sadly, "if people will insist on chuckling breadcrusts in comfort and three more if they don't worry too much about comfort. That means I can reduce my charge."

—(London Express Service)

A midnight stroll through the gorilla house, now accommodating the elephants Rajah, Hancock and Maneki, is full of interest—and amusement. For, as a rule, two of the animals will be lying "flat out" the third (Rajah) standing up—all, however, fast asleep, and all snoring. Keepers say it is a deep, rumbling sound ending with a fat, windy sigh or a shrill squeak like the grating of rusty brakes."

Zandy, on the other hand, who arrived from the forests of the Belgian Congo only a month or two ago, spends the entire night roaming her paddock and munching leaves hung up for her by the keeper. By day, she is a little weary. Officials hope Zandy, too, will change her ways, as she will then become a more satisfactory "show animal."

Liveliest building after dark is the rodent house, the menagerie's "night-club." For here no animal seems ever to sleep at night. The two hardyarks (seen by daytime visitors as inert mounds of flesh not unlike farmyard pigs) are up and doing; porcupines, drowsy by day, are scuttling hither and thither, gently ruffling their quills; and in the smaller cages bushbabies and other nocturnal creatures, wakeful and wide-eyed, hold high revelry. Even the lethargic kinkajou grows active.

### Unofficials

NO account of the Zoo's night life would be complete without reference to the unofficial exhibits. They are the rats which, by day, lie up in their hidey-holes beneath the buildings, but which, after dark, emerge to gather the harvest of crumbs which lie in and around the cages, especially in the gutters beneath the cage-wires, and the litter baskets.

To keep these unwanted visitors in check, Mr. George Cansdale, the superintendent,

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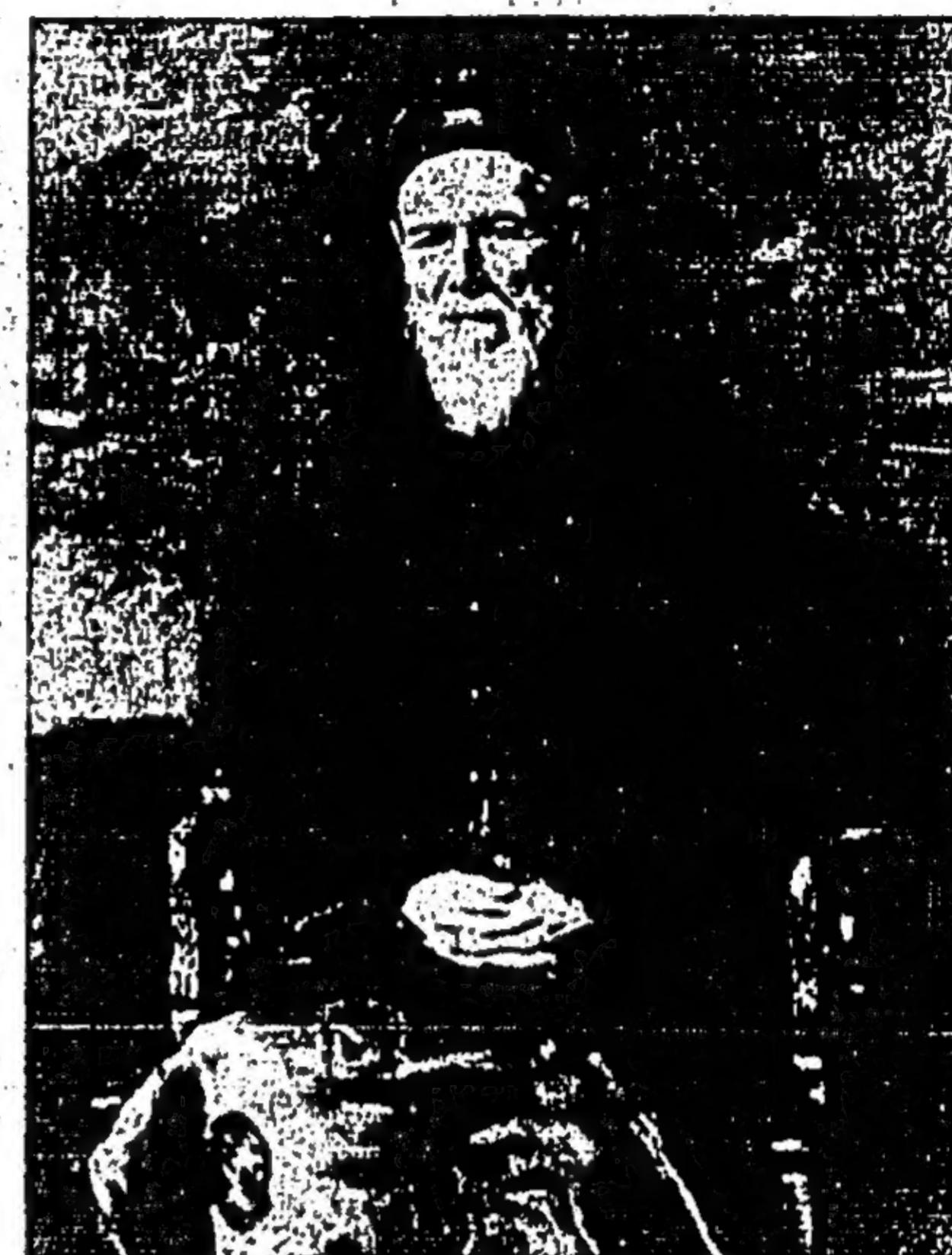
AT Government House last Saturday, HE the Governor and Lady Grantham entertained the officers and ship's company of HMS Amethyst at a garden party. Above is a general view of the occasion. Above right: the Governor and Lady Grantham welcoming their guests. Right: Lt-Cdr J. S. Kerans, in command of Amethyst, seen with Mdm Yannoulatos, wife of the Greek Consul-General in Shanghai. (Telegraph Staff Photographer)



PICTURE taken outside the Registry after the wedding last week of Mr Harry Wong and Miss Cheung Tse-shan. (Telegraph Staff Photographer)



MR Jose Pedro Balpros and his bride, formerly Miss Beatrice Maria Barros, whose wedding took place at the Roman Catholic Cathedral last Sunday. (Telegraph Staff Photographer)



THIS fine portrait of Sir Robert Ho Tung was painted recently by Sir Oswald Birley, the famous artist, in London, and will be exhibited next winter at the Royal Society of Portrait Painters' exhibition before being sent to Hongkong.



TWO pictures taken in the New Territories on Monday when drivers of Bran carriers belonging to the Hongkong Defence Force went through their passing out tests. (Telegraph Staff Photographer)

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RIGHT: Mr W. A. Garcia and Miss E. Soares leaving Rosary Church, Kowloon, after their wedding last Sunday. (Telegraph Staff Photographer)



PICTURE taken on the occasion of the party celebrating the birthday of Andrew Douglas George Bradley, son of Mr and Mrs J. Bradley. (Ming Yuen)

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ABOVE: Christian Dior measures on Tamia (the mannequin on whom he creates most of his models) his tailor's canvas. Arrows point to the lifted waist, the wide, semi-long basque, the wide turn-back cuts and the very large buttons.

RIGHT: Jean Desses gives width to his skirts by a "muff" effect (arrow to the left) or he adds it at the back what he calls the "kite" (arrow to the right). The "muff" skirt is in embroidered grey taffeta.

BELOW LEFT: Little sports jacket in beige and light brown made in one piece. The inside (see arrows) doubles over to form the collar, the exaggerated revers and the cape (which is not visible in the photograph).

BELOW RIGHT: This shawl coat, in grey, pale blue and white wool, has been created by Jacques Fath. Arrows point out how it is worn over a black afternoon gown with buttoned collar and raglan sleeves.



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## WEEK-END WOMANSENSE

## Beauty-plus

\* SHAPE OF SCARFS TO COME—"What's going to happen to scarfs?" is a question buyers are asking as they give thoughts to autumn. Shaped scarfs and ties in cravat effect look like the leading trend with more tone-on-tone colourings, smaller prints (even smaller than last year) on the early list. Loose hanging strips and spaghetti effect like a "carnival" tie in multicolours are incoming.

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\* SCATTER PIN INFLUENCE ON BELTS—the multiple pin fashion is extending to belts where ornaments are becoming small and are placed on the belt in cluster effects inspired by scatter pins.

\* \* \*

\* DON'T FORGET FEATHERS AND FLOWERS—To continue their spring success, flower makers have thought up many new items. Feather scatter pins and lapel ornaments hold promise and originality. There will be autumn versions of flower scatter pins and velvet is marked for importance. Big news lies in leaves. Leaf novelties in autumn colours are handsome as ornaments and even better looking when worked into belts, shell caps and other accessories.

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\* BELTS ARE KEYED TO TWEEDS—because the belted tweed coat and suit and skirt are all big news for autumn. Rich, warm shades are replacing the brights. Deep maroon, taupe, many natural tones and gold hues will have the upper hand. As is always the case in a tweed season, there will also be an amplitude of greens and browns.

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\* HUGE ROSE ON A LONG ROPE OF PEARLS may be worn high on the neck by pulling the rose through the double-up necklace or hangs low on a plunge when the pearls are worn as a single strand. An Irma Kliger design.

## London designers set Autumn trends

by Joan Erskine

LONDON. NORMAN HARTNELL, Chairman of the Incorporated Society of London Fashion Designers, started London's "Couture" week by showing us a charming collection.

But he achieved a very simple clean line, by clever seaming, tucking, and pleating, the shoulders were square, and skirts shorter, than we have been accustomed to see lately.

Most of his coats had fur on them somewhere. There were huge silver fox collars which stood up almost hiding the head, from back view; there were deep cuffs of fox round the hem of full swinging skirts, a phantom beaver lamb shawl collar could be completely dechained; and another elaborate town coat had two wide silver fox skins from waist to hem.

Two-way Clothes

In common with most of other

designers, Hartnell has designed two-way clothes. One green and black checked coat, over a black skirt and checked jacket, could be completely reversed to look like a plain black coat for town wear. A wine crepe blouse worn with a tweed suit, could be worn with a wine crepe skirt to form an afternoon dress.

The colours used were mostly

blues and mauves, many shades of brown, black, bronze, and a new colour called "watered silk."

One tight black velvet dress with strapless top shaped like a bow was worn beneath a very full black-spotted net skirt. A net flounce draped the shoulders. Hartnell's famous model, Dolores, who still wears her blue-black hair in a smooth coil, wore some very exotic creations.

The huge pocket of a house-

coat was embroidered all over

with tiny coral and gold beads;

a pale green grosgrain dress

had epaulettes and cuffs of gold

and green hanging bead embroidery; amber boudoir decorated the black dress; a very

full lace net dress with flounces

at the hem sparkled with

rhinestones.

Buttons, Buttons

In a fine check suit he calls

"Tattersall" the revers button

back to the waist, and the only

skirt fullness comes from an

unpressed box pleat at the

back. A grey bengaline ankle-

length cocktail suit with a wine

satiny blouse, and black velvet

threaded through the lapels

rever. He cleverly buttons the

corner of a nylon taffeta basque

to give a slanted effect, and

buttons up half a sleeve. This

means the basque and sleeves

can be worn either buttoned or

not, giving two completely

different effects. (See sketch).

Elaborately draped and fold-

ed skirts were a feature of

this collection. Evening

dresses were mostly in luxury

flower-like star sequins in different shimmering colours. This again was a strapless dress worn with a tiny bolero. The salsa dress the colour of lead, which gleamed like metal under the lights, had pearl, blue, and black bead embroidery on the bodice.

The show finished, in what seems to be the approved style nowadays, with a bride. She was a very full skirt made of layers of white net; a gleaming silver thread bodice, not sleeves, and not yet; and her floating veil was held by bunches of silver flowers each side of her head. One of the prettiest dresses for a very young bride.

Severely Tailored

An unusual dress was of champagne colour jersey, cut on classical lines with a softly draped bodice and only one shoulder strap. Another, of heavy gold brocade, accentuated the line of the thigh even though the skirt was large. This

broadcloth and stiff taffeta

nearly all had narrow shoulder

straps, tight-fitting bodices, and

huge, bound-in skirts. Pockets

were folded from a fold of

material rather than by super-

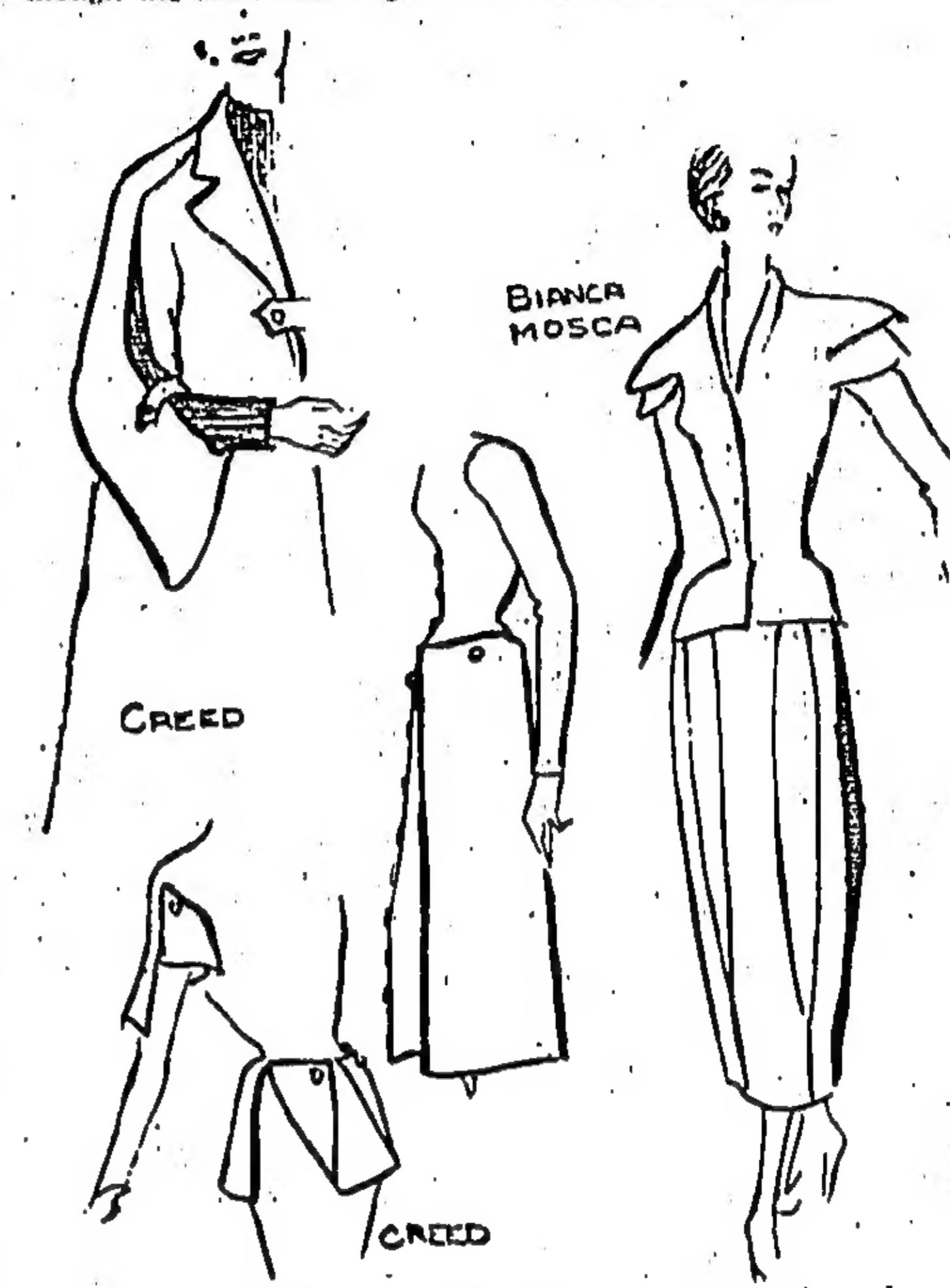
imposition.

Suits were severely tailored with slightly longer jackets and perfectly straight skirts. Suitings and worsteds were used rather than tweeds, and although there was much grey, coours crept back.

Original, Warm

ORIGINAL—and warm—was a sweater made of strips of black rabbit stitched on in bands on an elasticised material. It gave the effect of being latticed. It fitted perfectly without any fastenings.

A loose swaggar coat had a very adaptable collar which could be left in double points at the back, or buttoned to form a tuxedo front.



## New-Bra



## Rhymes of the times

## HEMS

by ALAN MELVILLE

LADIES, you may breath once more:  
Cease your anxious perturbations.  
Your dictator, Monsieur Dior,  
Has revealed his new creation.  
Thought the post-war world  
may grope  
Through each crisis, no one finches;  
Dior brings a ray of hope—  
Hems will stay at fifteen inches.

LADIES, when as tubes were dressed  
At their Master's bidding hence'll  
Change their shape to his best  
And appear more like a pencil.  
In this grim, unstable era  
One thing Monsieur Dior clinches:  
Though his prices may be dearer,  
Hems remain at fifteen inches.

LADIES, though the Christian creed—  
Judging by the Press reporters—  
Rules that this year you will need  
Tunics like French railway porters.  
Do not grumble if you're hurt  
Where the Dior waistline pinches:  
One disaster you can skirt—  
Hems will still be fifteen inches.  
(London Express Service)

## Shape of things to come . . .

PARIS dressmakers have banned photographs of their 1950 fashions for a month after their dress shows. But these pictures of fashions-in-the-making, at leading Paris dress houses, disclose the shape of things to come.



ROUGH SKETCHES showing trends from the couture shows held in London recently. CHARLES CREED splits a sleeve and then fastens it with a lapel. He buttons back half a sleeve and the front corners of a blouse.

BIANCA MOSCA makes clever use of buttons on a day dress, and provides suit interest by making the shoulders into double capes, and gains skirt fullness by open pleats going into a seam at the hem.

The loveliest evening dress was 'black and carnation red iridescent, rever'sible "Duchesse Dogana" satin, with no sleeves, full length at back, with the front of the skirt caught up on the hips to show reverse of the satin, making it calf length in front.

Shot-silk-taffeta—and-black-satin brocade made another two glamorous evening gowns, and the most dramatic of all was in royal blue and carnation tulle, with draped bodice and huge skirt—blue over red, giving a fluid effect of colour.

## Bianca Mosca

THIS collection was an interesting one. She uses materials as skilfully as always, and puts to very good use the new fine brocades and, rever-

rever.

Shingle and rough-cuts are suitable for teenagers. Most women only succeed in looking the worse for a tussle with wind.

Five ways

To be successful, the ragamuffin style needs thick hair with a strong, natural curl in it; fine hair soon becomes straggly and neglected-looking.

Letting the hair grow and still retaining the short, groomed look is the main problem now.

Smart women are solving it with a false hair-switch. I suggest these five attractive ways of using the switch.

Brush the hair straight across the back of the head and sweep it round the front over one ear in a roll.

For day-time

Coil the switch, unplaited, round the roll into a large con- phone and all the centre with a cluster of tiny flowers pinned securely into place.

Smarter for day time are scaterring pins used instead of flowers.

A good style to wear with a straight Japanese fringe can be achieved by brushing the short side-curls forward over the checks and fixing the switch in a double plait across the back, keeping it tight and flat to the head.

If you like a one-sided look, side-part the hair and brush the side up to form a wing over the temple.

The sides and back are then

brushed under the plait and plaited so that the switch

resembles a circle.

Instead of an evening cap, you can dress the circle with flowers, pearls, or sequins.

Those who wear their hair with the sides short and brushed forward should pin the plait

forward.

Like a circlet

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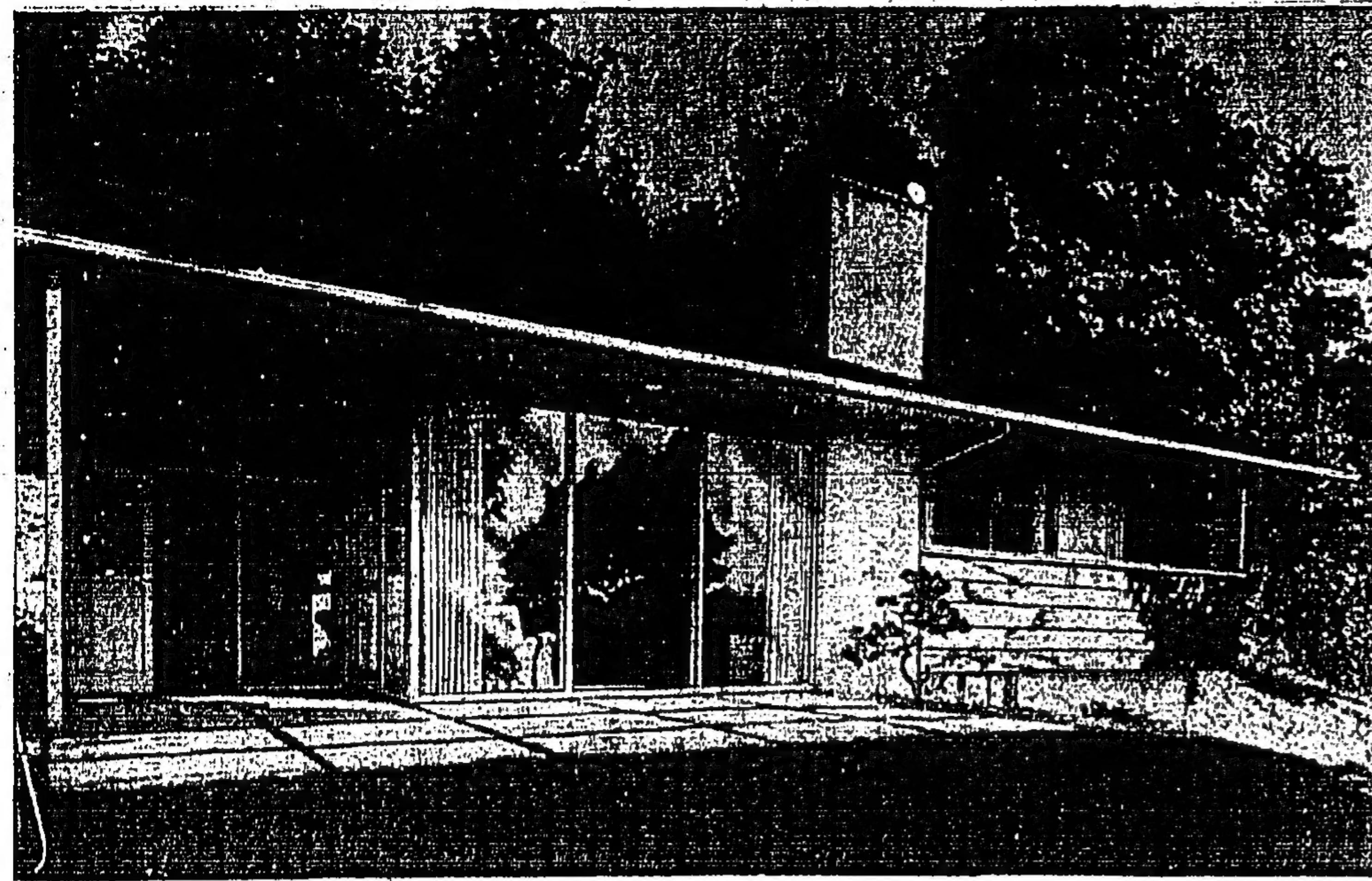
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# PRACTICAL HOME CRAFT

## BUILT ON A SLOPE



CONTEMPORARY AS TOMORROW IS THIS unusually distinctive house, built on a high bank, with living room, dining room and kitchen unit (above) on an intermediate level, sleeping quarters on an upper level and the basement on a lower one. Lavish use of glass provides light and an extensive view.

By MARION CLYDE McCARROLL

MANY people shy away from street, and the architect who designed it was smart enough to make it his business to turn to advantage the possibilities he saw in the situation. As a result; the owners of the house have a home with special individuality.

Actually, however, this type of lots can often be an opportunity instead of a liability, affording a chance to develop something quite distinctive in the design of the home built on it.

By way of example, take a look at the modern house pictured here. It was built on a slope about 25 feet above the level of the

views.

### A Contagious Skin Disorder Parents Should Watch For

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

CERTAIN skin disorders which commonly afflict children are highly contagious. They spread rapidly from child-to-child until an entire group is infected unless the disease is recognised in its first victim and steps

are taken to separate him from his schoolmates.

One such condition which parents should be able to identify promptly is impetigo. Its first manifestation is a rash of skin blisters. These blisters break and form crusts or scars which may vary in colour from yellow to red. They may be more than an inch across, but they are usually smaller. The skin of the face, ears, neck and often, the hands are affected. Sometimes the disorder develops in the scalp. As a rule, it causes no itching, burning or pain.

#### Due to Germs

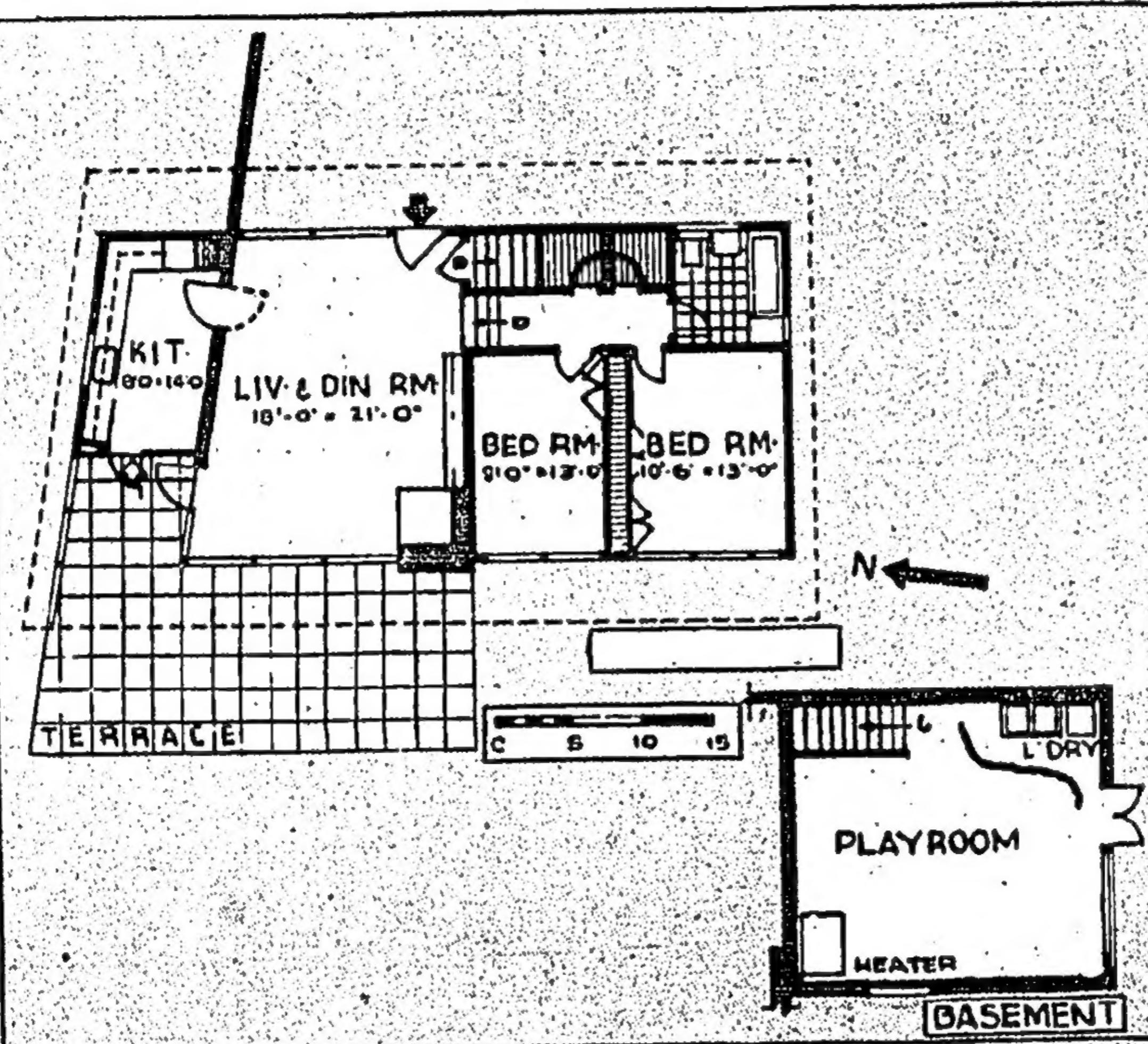
TODAY, let's take that nicely washed piece of lace or lovely lace collar, and pin it to dry. Not with clothespins, though, not even these dainty little plastic affairs. Instead we'll do a professional job.

After the lace has been washed, roll it in a clean cloth to absorb extra moisture. In the meantime, a table or board should be made ready for pinning. Put a pad on the surface and have it just like a clean, well-stretched ironing-board cover. Have at hand new small rust-proof pins, plenty of them. The boxes of pins sold as dressmaker's pins are usually rust-proof.

#### Stretch and Shape

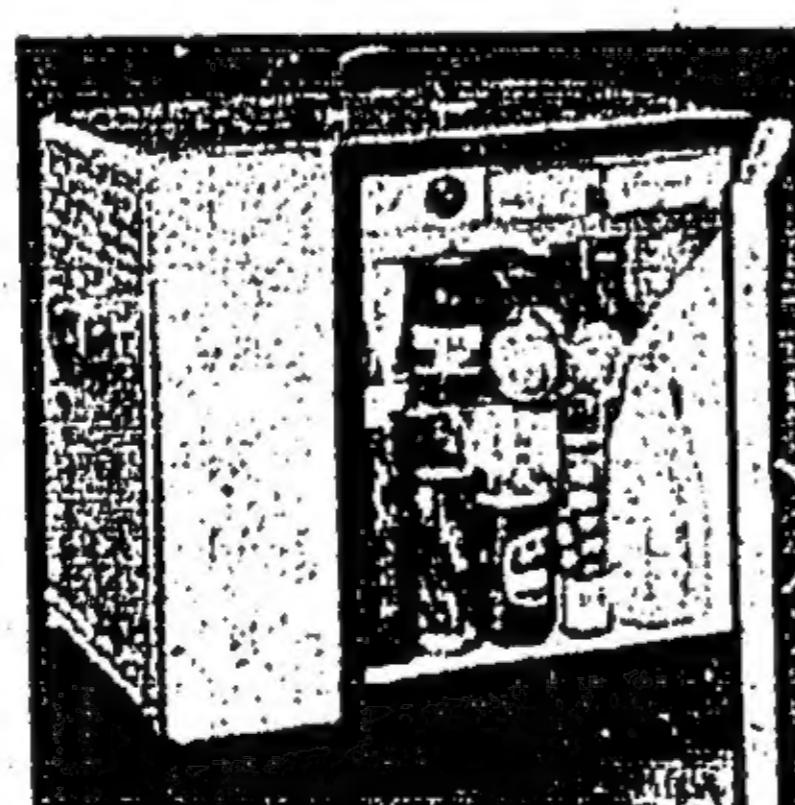
Lay the lace out on the padded surface, and gently stretch and shape it. If it's a collar, follow the curve of the neckline. The pinning of a circular piece like a collar must be done by dividing the piece into equal sectors. Begin with the inner circle of a collar. Place a pin at each corner, then in the middle, then divide with a pin halfway from the centre to each corner. At this point, with the curve of the neck partly shaped, begin to pin the outer curve in just the same way, and with the careful division holding the lace to a larger circle.

As a final process for perfect professional results, put a pin into every heavy part of the pattern. The more pins that are used, the more beautiful will be the results. The pins are used, the more carefully treated.



THE BIG COMBINATION LIVING-DINING ROOM, with fireplace and the wide terrace on to which it opens, is the heart of the house. A few steps up and the two bedrooms and bath are reached, handy but apart.

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### How To Make Your Picnic Party A Success

"MOST of the cooking is being done on the grill stoves by young people on a picnic," observed the Chef. "I think they must have learned how to do it when they were boy or girl scouts. Frankfurters and hamburgers seem to be the favourites."

We saw a man broiling steaks; another was cooking corn-fists; he had caught, and one woman was frying ham and eggs in a big skillet. The only vegetable we saw cooking was corn boiling in a large kettle. Of course, they could easily have roasted the ears in the husks on the grill. Some women were making coffee. I saw one grandmother carefully carrying a coffee pot full of cold water from a nearby winter tap to the grillstove. Then she put in the coffee, which she had tied in a bag, and slowly brought the water to boil in the old fashioned way.

#### Fagged Out

We saw platters of sandwiches brought from home; bags of potato chips; almost every kind of pickle and lots of cake and

cookies. A few had brought tomatoes, lettuce and some fruit. Most of the parties told us they planned to eat a picnic lunch at noon and one for supper. But I noticed the lunch baskets contained too many starches and sweets, which are not satisfying in themselves, and often cause indigestion when eaten in too large quantities. "That's one reason why instead of feeling relaxed and rested many people are fagged out after a day in the open," I remarked.

"I believe you are right Madame," said the Chef. "The picnic meal should follow the pattern of the home meal. For example, they could carry a cooked picnic ham or a smoked tongue or meat loaf, and slice it at the picnic. It could be served on paper plates with sliced tomatoes and lettuce which had been kept crisp in those bags of potato chips, or it could be made up into big sandwiches, with split and buttered long soft rolls."

#### Inside Story

"It's the Inside story of a sandwich that counts, Chef. Mixed vegetable sandwiches are delicious. Or if the supply of meat is a bit limited, frankfurter-egg sandwiches are substantial and taste good. Peanut butter and date sandwiches would be excellent for youngsters who don't eat much meat. A big loaf of gingerbread is good for dessert; it keeps moist and is especially nice with cheese."

"And to make it a perfect picnic, Madame," added the Chef, "I suggest a fine, ice-cold water melon. If this is well chilled and wrapped securely in several layers of wet newspaper before leaving home, it will be cold. But if it is to be good, it must be carefully selected. So I would like to give our readers a few pointers on buying water melons:

"The colour should be bright green. The melon should be firm to the touch and have a smooth surface. The under side should be creamy yellow rather than white. Last, give a thump with your finger. If you hear a sharp sound you will know the melon is not ripe. But if the sound is dull and hollow, buy him quick. For he will give you good eating."

#### Picnic Lunch or Dinner

Assorted Sandwiches Including Vegetable, Frankfurter-Egg, and Peanut-Date  
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Sliced Bread-Mayonnaise Honeyed Gingerbread  
Cubes of American Cheese Chilled Water Melon  
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#### Assorted Sandwiches

Mixed Vegetable Sandwiches: Combine 1/3 c. each fine-grated raw carrot, celery and red radishes. Add 1/4 tsp. salt; 1/2 tsp. celery salt and 2 tbsps. mayonnaise. Mix well. Spread between slices of entire wheat bread. Makes 8 full-sized sandwiches.

Frankfurter-Egg Sandwiches: Cook 3 skinless frankfurters and chop fine. Add 1 chopped hard-cooked egg, 1 tbsp. grated onion, 1/4 tsp. salt, 1/2 tsp. table mustard, 1/4 tsp. pepper and 2 tbsps. mayonnaise or thick boiled salad dressing. Spread between slices of thin rye bread or pumpernickel. Makes 8 full-sized sandwiches.

Peanut-Date Sandwiches: Combine 1/2 c. peanut butter, 1/2 c. fine-chopped pitted dates, 1/2 c. cream cheese or 1 small cream cheese, 1/2 tsp. salt and 2 tbsps. sour cream. Spread between thin slices of the best white bread you can buy or make. Makes 8 full-sized sandwiches.

#### Honeyed Gingerbread

Sift together 2 c. all-purpose flour, 2 tsp. baking powder, 1/2 tsp. salt, 1 tsp. powdered ginger, 1/2 tsp. powdered clove, 1/2 tsp. cinnamon and 1/4 tsp. nutmeg. Sift 1/2 c. any kind of shortening until creamy. Add 1/2 c. sugar and 1/2 c. flavourful honey. Mix thoroughly.

Add 1/2 c. of the sifted dry ingredients and mix well. Beat and add 2 eggs. Add the remaining dry ingredients alternately with 1/2 c. milk, (fluid or reconstituted dry skim milk). Transfer to an oiled biscuit pan. Bake 35-40 min. in a moderate oven. 375° F.

#### Trick of the Chef

Make all minced sandwich fillings so soft they can be creamed with the butter or margarine and spread on the bread with one motion of the spoon. Saves time and energy.



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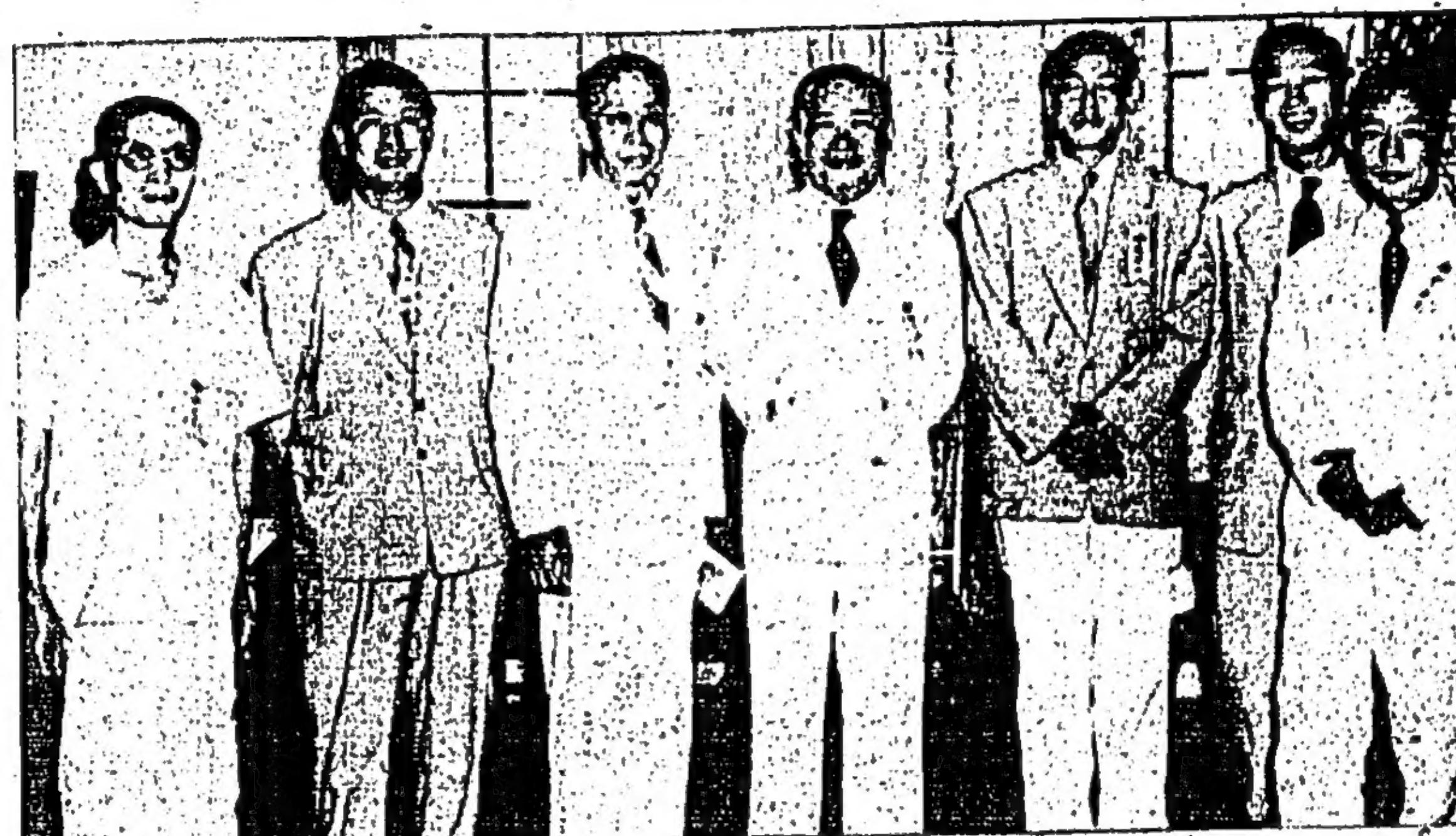
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THE rebuilt Hongkong Sikh Temple was officially opened last Sunday by Mr J. H. Ruttonjee, who is seen, second from right in top picture, receiving the key from Mr Ujagar Singh, President of the Temple. In lower picture, the chief priest, Giani Hera Singh, is seen speaking during the subsequent service. (Telegraph Staff Photographer)



THE Merchant Navy Sports Club (above) was officially opened last week by His Excellency the Governor. On the right are some guests who attended the function. (Telegraph Staff Photographer)



PICTURE taken at the social evening organised by the Lingnan University Alumni Association at the Chinese Bankers' Association. Dr H. C. Chen, Chancellor of the University, is seen in centre of the group. (Francis Wu)



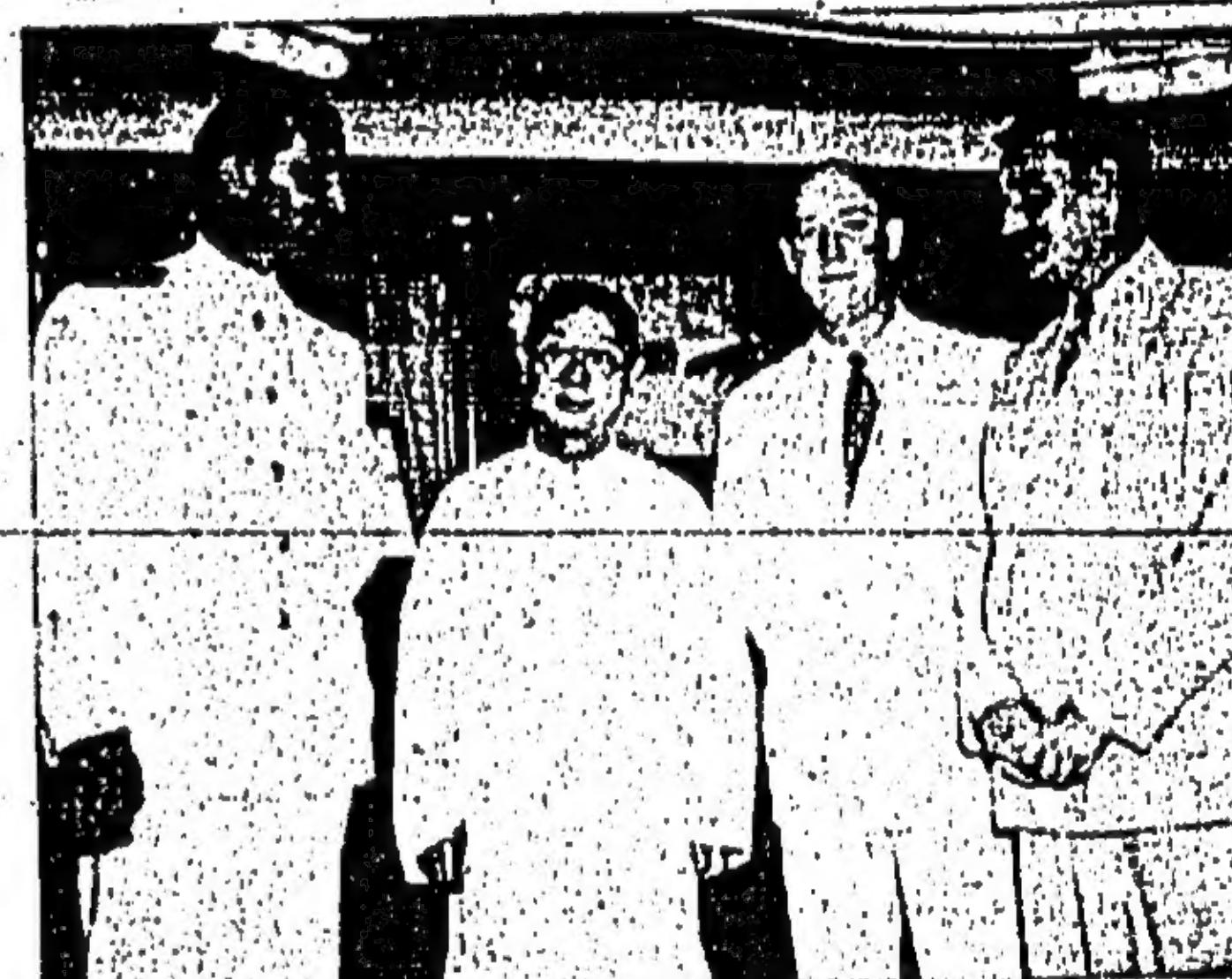
RIGHT: Mr A. J. R. Moss, Director of Aviation (second from right), snapped at the farewell cocktail party given in his honour by airline executives in the Colony before his departure from Hongkong. (Telegraph Staff Photographer)



STAFF of Mackinnon, Mackenzie and Co. photographed with Mr A. McKellar (centre front row), chief accountant of the firm, before he went on leave. (Golden Studio)



UNDER the sponsorship of the Forces' Civilian Entertainment and Welfare Committee, a dance was held at Government House last Saturday for Services personnel. The affair was a great success, and everybody present had a very good time. Here are three pictures taken during the evening. (Telegraph Staff Photographer)



CAPTAIN Blom, skipper of the motor vessel Nordsjoman, with Mr Mak Shiu-cho, Captain Lagerborg and Captain Ian Jenkins at the cocktail party given on board the ship last week. (Golden Studio)

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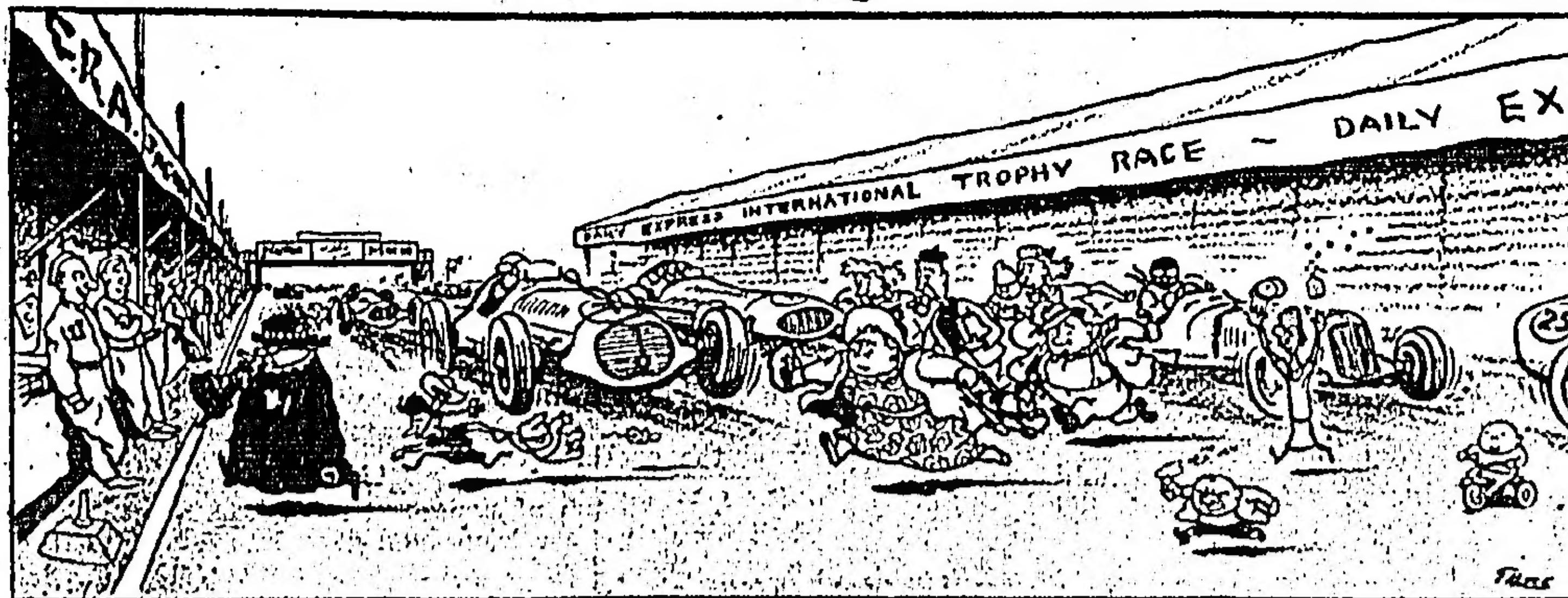
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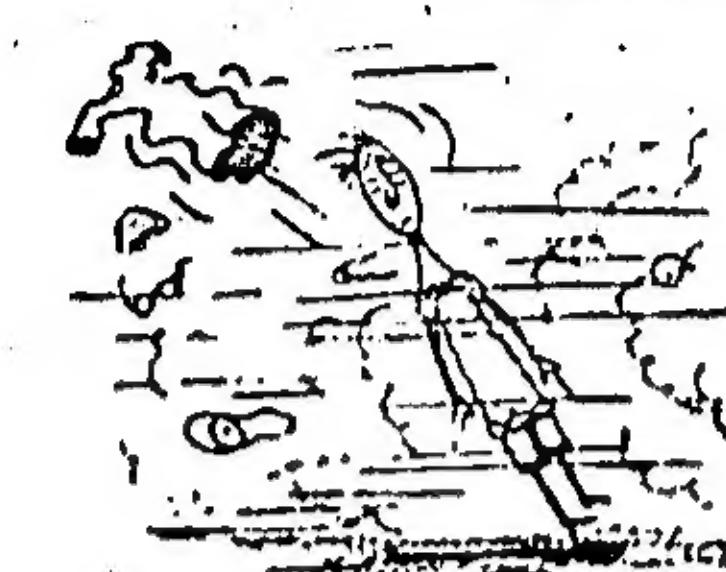
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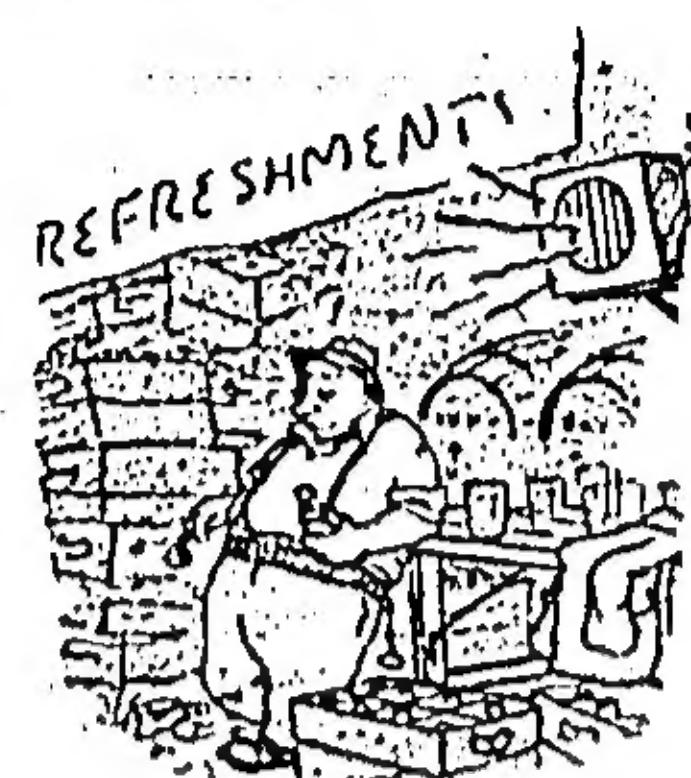


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# SOVIET RUSSIA HAS 20 MILLION SLAVES

**WE** employ those deprived of liberty," Mr. Molotov has said. Railways are built, mines are worked, engineering plants erected. Through the Soviet Union the rear of development is proudly proclaimed, but not loud enough to stop the shameful truth being heard.

Few statements have so shocked the British public, and indeed the whole civilised world, as the announcement made this year by the American Military Government, that Buchenwald, notorious Nazi atrocity camp, is now full of prisoners, held there by Soviet authorities. In three years 80,000 people have died in nine Soviet zone concentration camps, says a report prepared by the U.S. administration.

But these facts merely confirm the charge brought by Mr. Christopher Mayhew, British Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, before the Economic and Social Council of United Nations Organisation.

He said bluntly that in the Soviet Union millions of men and women were herded into concentration camps on a variety of pretexts and there used as a labour force, in conditions of slavery, to fulfil the grandiose engineering undertakings about which Moscow so frequently boasts.

The Soviet economic system depends, in fact, largely on a supply of cheap labour, controlled by the State, and it is estimated that the number of this army of slave-labourers is now about twenty millions.

### GOOD WITNESS

**A**NTI-COMMUNIST propaganda? Consider official Soviet sources. Mr. Molotov himself is a good witness. On March 9, 1931, when he was Chairman of the U.S.S.R. Council of People's Commissioners, he told the Sixth Congress of Soviets that

"Mass projects, employing those deprived of liberty, are organised for a variety of different objectives; for highway construction, in particular on railways; in the building industry; in pit exploitation; in charcoal burning; for metallurgical plants; in timber works; in phosphorus mining, stone quarries, gravel and stone crushing, on transportation projects, etc."

In the same speech he mentioned the use of forced labour in the construction of the White Sea-Baltic (Belomor) Canal.

That was in 1931. Eighteen years later, on March 2, 1949, "New Times"—the official Soviet journal which is published in various languages—said: "There has never been any secret that the forcing of publicly useful labour is practised in the Soviet Union."

Finally, on this point, we may call in evidence Mrs. Kuzmenko, Secretary of the Soviet Garment Workers' Union, who was on an official visit to England, and

By  
CHARLES  
KILVERT

lists" to be kept out of Russia, but workers themselves were not to be allowed to see the conditions in which their fellow toilers lived.

How many slaves are kept in these Labour Camps?

There are three lines of approach. Let us take the evidence from official Russian sources first.

The Soviet authorities do not

publish the figures. Sometimes,

however, their publications inadvertently give a clue. For example, Mr. Vyshinski, now Russia's Foreign Minister, edited a book entitled—"From Prisons to Educational Institutions," published in Moscow in 1934. On page 171 of this book, one of its authors, Strelman, says that in 1931 over 365,700 copies of Soviet newspapers were sent to "all places of detention" in Russia in Europe alone. On page 250 of the book, A. Shchastkova, says that an average of five inmates received one newspaper.

This shows that in European

Russia in 1931 there were over

1,830,000 prisoners; and re-

member that two-thirds of Soviet

territory is in Asia.

### FROM PRISONERS

**S**ECONDLY, the completion of large-scale projects are marked by the granting of amnesties. These numbers give some idea of the scale of employment. The building of the White Baltic Canal lasted from 1931 till August 2, 1933. The Soviet Government granted amnesties to 72,000 prisoners who had been working on it. After the completion of the Moscow-Volga Canal, under construction from 1932 to 1937, 55,000 prisoners were liberated.

The third source of information is the published works of those who have every reason to be treated as qualified to express an opinion.

For example, there is the book "Red Forced Labour," written by M. K. Nikonorov, Smirnov, and published in Sofia in 1938. The author, who escaped from a forced labour camp, estimates a total of five to six million inmates for the period 1933-37. He also gives detailed list of 35 labour camps.

Then there is "La Justice Soviétique," compiled by Mora and Zwierlak, a collective work based on a multitude of reports by former Polish prisoners. Published in Rome in 1945, it gives a list of 38 forced labour camps, and estimates a total of fifteen million inmates for the years 1940-42.

Former Soviet officials, too, have had a good deal to say about the camps. The most notable of them was Victor Kravchenko, who held high office in the Soviet economic machine. His book, "I Chose Freedom," is widely accepted as containing

material of tested reliability, and the author recently won a libel action in Paris against Communists who attacked his veracity.

He considers there must be more than 20,000,000 people in forced labour camps in the Soviet Union.

The witnesses are unanimous in saying that the system exists but is unanimous in condemning it for its inhuman and reactionary character.

How is slave labour obtained?

The Soviet penal code enables

the Russians to condemn great numbers of people, whole groups of population, to "transfer to Siberia" or, what—under other systems of law—would appear to be extraordinary flimsy pretexts.

### SHOOTING

**L**OOK at Article 58 of the Penal Code of the Russian Soviet Federated Socialist Republic of 1936, which in this respect had not been amended in 1947. It laid down that actions to the detriment of the U.S.S.R. were to be punished by the highest forms of capital punishment—"shooting" with confiscation of the entire property and, in extenuating circumstances, by deprivation of liberty for a period of ten years with confiscation of the entire property."

The article goes on in subsection 1 (c) to enact that members of an offender's family, who helped him, or knew about his activities and did not report them to the authorities, are to be deprived of their liberty for five to ten years, their entire property being confiscated.

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### SENTENCES

**T**HIS clause makes no mention of participation in, or even knowledge of, the crime. A characteristic of this legislation is that the sentences laid down are minimum and not maximum sentences in nearly every case. Article 58, 1 (d), published by deprivation of liberty for ten years "failure to report to the secretariat."

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## PETER PANS' SHOW WORLD IN MINIATURE

By ROBERT KINGSLEY

**B**RITAIN'S Peter Pans put on a show in London recently. They created a world in miniature—"don't call them toys" to delight the heart of every schoolboy on holiday.

The show was the Model Engineers' Exhibition at the New Horticultural Hall, Westminster, S.W.

I asked a London bus driver, Albert Stannard, of Leyton, E. how long it had taken him to make a small scale-model about four inches long of a lightweight motorcycle, a non-working model, but beautifully made.

"Oh, it only took 300 hours," Mr. Stannard said airily.

Another enthusiast's wife goes one better. Mrs. T. E. Butler's husband, of Ramsgate, goes off to his model engineering club in the evenings to build things—he contributes the smallest model in the show, a rigged sailing boat that can be covered by a silver threepenny bit—and she stays at home.

### WIFE IN KITCHEN

But on the kitchen table she has got to work and built a 20z. scale-model of the club where her husband spends his time.

There are over 400 models entered for competition at the exhibition by amateurs whose ages range from 14 to 87. Of these only three have been made by women

Very often, it seems, the modeller is so much in love with his everyday work that he spends his spare time making replicas of the tools, so to speak, of his trade.

So a lifeboat coxswain sends in a model lifeboat, a fireman a perfect miniature fire tender. The professions, alas, seem to go in more for escapism.

A clergyman submits, not a model pulpit, but a gay little model of a Nile boat of 1450 BC, while a doctor, from whom one might expect a minute operating theatre, enters a model of his sailing boat.

Models on show range from jet aeroplanes to antique furniture and a spray of roses made from copper.

There are railway engines which took over 4,000 hours to build (by my reckoning a year of days and nights has only 8760 hours) and one, in which the work was spread over 20 years.

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The prisoners are reported to work on almos., but not quite, a starvation diet, the incentive of hunger being used to spur them on to the greater efforts which will earn a little more food.

In most camps they are fed between 4 and 5 a.m., before leaving for work and unafter their return between 5 and 7 p.m. The system of establishing "norms" of work, which each group of workers is urged to attain, has been adopted. Climate conditions are severe, clothing poor and short-lived, sanitary and medical conditions are widespread.

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### BAD CONDITIONS

**S**PECIFIC camps where conditions are reported to be particularly bad are (a) the Dzhidu cluster of Eastern Siberia. It has a particularly high rate of attempted escapes because of insufficient food and harsh treatment. (b) The mortality in two punitive camps in the Far East (one on the Kolyma River and the other on the lower Yenisei) is reported to exceed thirty percent annually. No correspondence between prisoners and their relatives or friends is permitted.

(c) The camp near Komsomolsk in the Far East, where men and women are interned for "disloyalty to the Soviet Union," is notorious for bad food, severe punishment and high death toll. (d) In certain camps of the Pechora cluster, corporal punishment (officially abolished in 1917-18) has been re-introduced. (e) The Kramnyash camps, with about 10,000 prisoners, are conspicuous for their lack of medical facilities and hospitals.

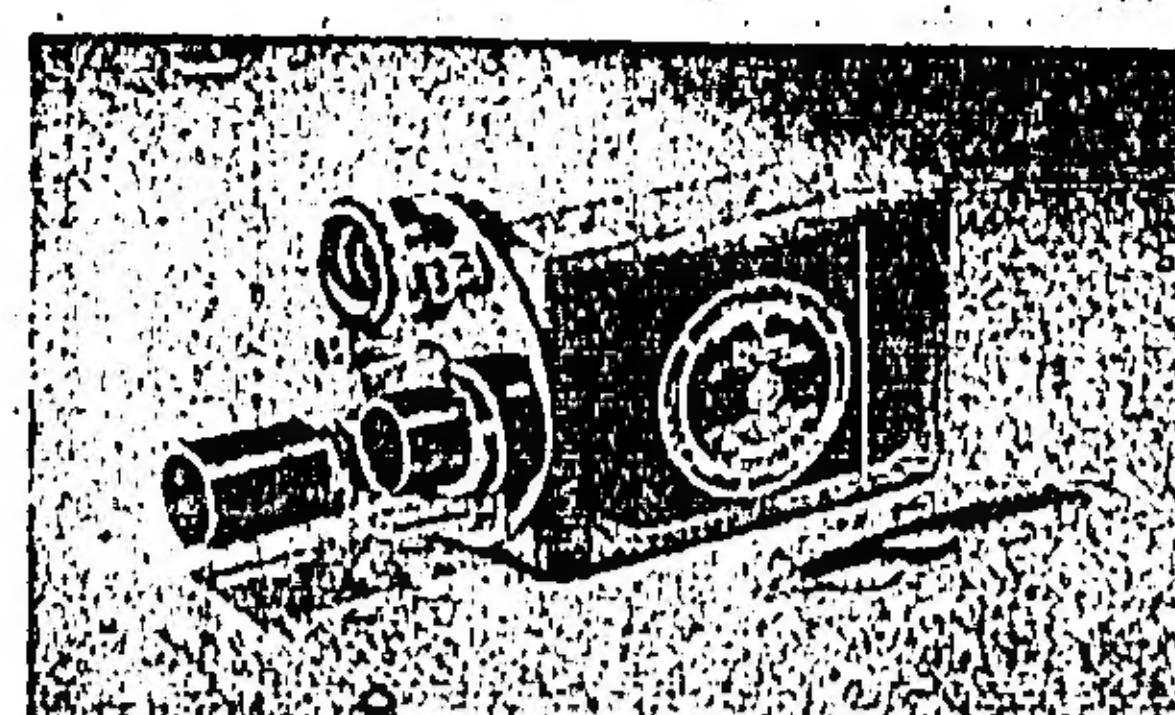
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If the Russian Government wish their denials to be taken seriously, they must give opportunity to Trade Unions of free countries to visit Soviet territory, and see for themselves. Until they do, the world must believe the best evidence available, which shows that Soviet Communism, which always pleads so loudly for the rights of the working man, is content to exploit a slave army numbering millions.

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# LACK OF GROUNDS FOR SOFTBALL A MORE ACUTE PROBLEM THIS YEAR

By "STARDUST"

While softball squads are undergoing preparatory training, the Association Committee is once again confronted with a problem which has cropped up almost every year in post-war softball.

That problem is the lack of playing grounds. Last year the Association had the use of the sand lot, commonly referred to as the "Recreo Football Ground," at King's Park, on week-ends, and, through the courtesy of the Central British Association, were allowed the use of the CBA ground, also at King's Park, for Sunday games.

Recent reports indicate that the Club de Recreo will be converting its football ground into a hockey field, and it remains a big question mark whether Recreo will be prepared to share its ground with the Association. However, the Association has once again appealed to the Central British Association for assistance.

It is felt in softball circles that steps should now be taken by the Association to obtain playing grounds from the playground authorities. With the prospect of an increase in the number of teams in organized competition this season, the Association will be hard pressed to find suitable accommodation for its requirements.

Your scribe was given to understand that representatives of the Association will soon approach the local authorities on the subject of playing grounds. The success of the Association's efforts to obtain suitably located grounds for the coming season will be eagerly awaited by all softball fans.

## AROUND THE CORNER

With the Opening Day of the forthcoming softball season just around the corner, the Working Committee of the Hong Kong Softball Association has just completed the revision of a new Constitution which will be submitted for approval and adoption at an Extraordinary General Meeting to be held later in the current month.

The Committee is presently engaged in formulating a new set of bye-laws governing play and playing conditions, etc., among the great variety of items to be dealt with in the bye-laws will be rules governing postponements of games, conduct on the field of play, regular uniforms for all teams, the appointment of a Grounds and Equipment Committee, the appointment of a Scoring Committee, and the compilation of official league batting and fielding statistics.

The members of the Working Committee will be engaged individually in the job of writing up the bye-laws and a meeting will be held next week at which the opinions of various members will be pooled together and a single official set of bye-laws for the Association drawn up.

Managers of teams intending to participate in this year's League competitions are reminded that the deadline for submission of entries to the Secretary of the Association is Monday, September 19.

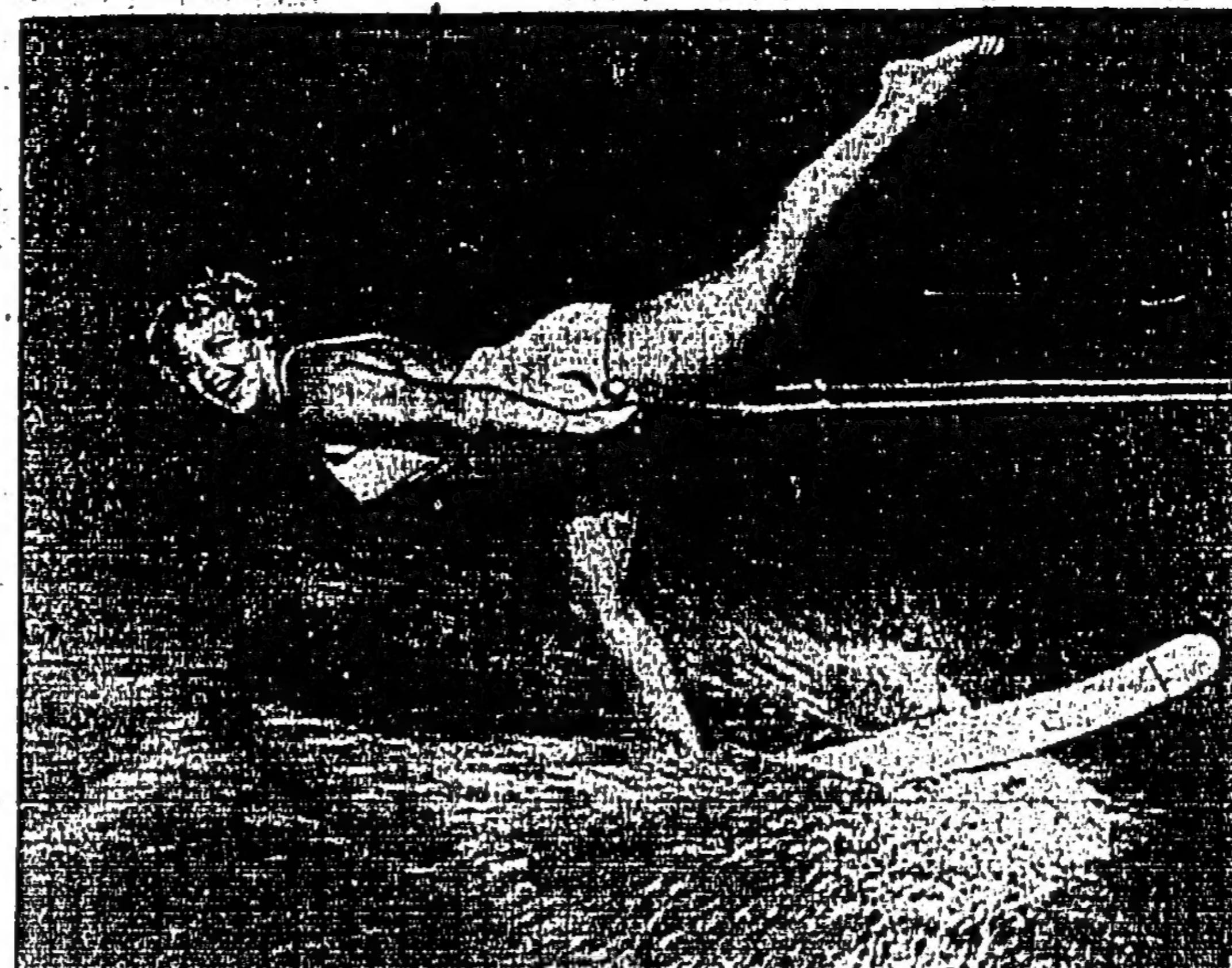
## ENTRIES SO FAR

To date several entries have been received for the three Leagues. The Jaguars and the Madcaps are the only two teams that have registered for the Senior Loop competition. The Daredevils, new contingent, have applied for entry into the Senior League but their application will be subject to the approval of the General Council.

In the Ladies' Circuit, the defending champions, the Wahoos, and the White Fangs, who are new to the loop, are the first two entrants. The Jaguars and the pennant-aspiring Blackhawks, are the first two teams to submit entries for the Junior League section.

With only a week remaining before the deadline set by the Association, managers are requested to expedite their entry applications. It is understood that the Association will only forward entry and registration forms to teams that have officially entered within the period terminating on September 19.

# WATER SKI CHAMPION



## GOSSIP FROM HERE AND THERE

The Braves, two-time champions of the Junior Loop, who are entering the Senior League competition this season, started the ball rolling last Saturday with a friendly tilt against St. Teresa's Club.

The Braves emerged victorious over a depleted Wildcats' nine 13 to 4. Some new faces were seen in the Braves' line-up. Tony "Red" Osmund, sparkplugging hot corner guardian of the Tribe, has apparently sidetracked softball for the coming season in favour of other sports. His absence will be felt in the infield.

The Braves have a new battery in Ed "Monk" Almeida, formerly of the Hong Kong Baseball Club, and Shanghailander Dickie "Muscles" Pereira.

Gusse Pergin, whose slugging sparked the VRC squad to several victories last year, will be sporting the livery of the Braves this year. Gusse will add strength to the Braves' attack.

The Jaguars, perennial rivals to the Braves, are also moving up to the Senior Division. In fact, the Jolting Jags will have two teams—one in the Senior Loop and another in the Junior Loop. The Jags will have practically the same squad that finished up in a tie with the Braves for the Junior Loop title last season.

Tony Silva, windy alleys custodian, has moved to the Daredevils, but his position will be filled by Ozzie Runjohn, who played ball in Shanghai. The Jaguars hope to have Joey Franco on the pitching line.

However, there is some uncertainty regarding Franco, who has not decided whether to join forces with the Jaguars or play with the St. Teresa's Senior League. The Jags are having regular workouts under the capable coaching of Hal Wing Lee to get in shape for the season.

The Daredevils have applied for admission into the Senior League. The Devils played in the Junior Loop several years ago and gave a good account of themselves. With practically the same squad that saw service with the team in 1947 plus the addition of Tony Silva and Al Malig, the Daredevils hope to get the nod from the Association's General Council who will have to approve their application.

The Pandas, ex-Shanghai ball players, have finally got a team together for the coming season. Mr. Y. C. Mei, a member of the Pandas, called to see "Doc" Molten during the week to purchase a couple of bats for his team. The Pandas are reputed to be topflight ball players. So their entry into local competition will be awaited with keen interest.

With most of last season's roster ready to go, Terry Noronha and her Wahoos will be out to defend their title when the lid is lifted on this season's Ladies' Loop pennant drive. The Wahoos have added former Wildcats Incz Soares and Helen Ribeiro to their squad.

There will be several new additions to the Ladies' Loop this season. The White Fangs, Squaws, Clovers, the "Underseas," Chinese Girls, and St. Teresa's are expected new entrants in the loop.

The Clovers are coached by Fred Hyndman and led by Marie Baptista. The "Underseas" are a doubtful outfit which has been seen practising out in Kowloon Tong.

## MEDLEY WINNERS



The Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders team that won the Medley Relay Race in the Land Forces Swimming Championships last Saturday—L/Cpl. Goodenough, Pte. Watson and Pte. MacCullum.

Land Forces meet Victoria Recreation Club tonight at the VRC pool—Golder Studio Photograph.

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# BEN HOGAN'S "POWER GOLF"

## 17.-How Much Underspin To Use

Whether you use a minimum of underspin or a maximum should depend on the situation you are confronted with. For instance, a minimum of underspin is called for on a teeshot. The farther the ball goes the better most of us like it on tee shots, particularly if the tee shot is straight and we manage to keep out of trouble. On the other hand, on shots to the green a maximum of underspin, or backspin, is required or the ball wouldn't hold the green.

A maximum of underspin must be imparted to the ball for extreme efficiency on most iron shots. Without a maximum of underspin an iron shot can't be controlled as to length, direction or height. Underspin is imparted by having the blade of the club contact the ball first in a downward motion and, of course, taking turf afterwards as the blow is continued on down.

There must also be a sharpness to the blow struck. By that I mean that the ball must be hit hard with the hands during the course of the swing. Hit the ball as if you were driving it forward, letting the loft of the club blade itself provide the necessary height to the flight of the ball.

## USING SOFT SHOTS

There are times, of course, when a soft shot is required. This is accomplished by slowing down; especially the hand action and the body movement for a lob shot. This type of shot is only used on short shots around the green where the ball must rise quickly.

There is so little loft on a one iron that you have the double problem of trying to hit this shot much harder while still trying to get the ball into the air with enough distance to reach the green. You are not able to hold the ball on the green even if you reach it because you have sacrificed underspin for distance.

Sometimes in hitting to the green you will find yourself in a situation where it is impossible to impart the maximum of underspin to the ball and still get enough distance to reach the green. You are not able to hold the ball on the green even if you reach it because you have sacrificed underspin for distance.

The club in your bag which will impart the most underspin, or backspin, to the ball is the five iron. I don't know why it has to be, however, the five iron is the club which gives you the most underspin and, therefore, provides you with the most control of the ball.

The one iron, or driving iron, is the most difficult club in the bag to master. In order to obtain maximum results with it you have to use more power than with any other club.

There is so little loft on a one iron that you have the double problem of trying to hit this shot much harder while still trying to get the ball into the air with a controlled flight. This means that in order to accomplish that, you must reach the lowest arc of your swing just in front of the ball.

## THE REASON WHY

The reason this is essential is that it is the only way that you can hit the ball squarely and at the same time impart the degree of underspin which is absolutely necessary for control. Again I emphasize the fact that you must have a great degree of underspin on iron shots to maintain any control of them at all.

The reason why most players of the English school of golf, and I will include Bobby Locke in that school, don't control their shots to the green as well as the American professionals do, is that they don't use the underspin mentioned here. We drive the ball into the greens with a lower trajectory, more authority and more control, whereas the players of the English school in Cornwall, Miss Edmondson, prefer to lob it to the green.

I've also been told by English players who have visited here that we practice our iron shots more than they do. This constant practice enables us to keep our iron shots crisp while still maintaining control of them.

(To Be Continued Monday)

Figg, of Maresfield, who has taken 100 wickets this season.

## BIG MONEY

How our soccer players must writhe when they hear of the money the Italians will pay—in sterling—for international players.

Latest in the market is the Dane, Hansen, who helped Huddersfield last season. He is going one better than his fellow countryman, centre-forward Preast.

Præst has signed for Juventus for £6500, a car and £60 a month plus bonus. Hansen, who flies to discuss terms with Altham club officials on Sunday, wants the same signing fee, but it seems he will forgo the car if he is paid £100 a month for three years plus bonus, a gross of £10,100. And what's more, he's likely to get it.

This matter has been divided into five headings: Grounds, Pitches, Equipment, Match Play, and Coaching. The 33 will divide themselves into sub-committees to probe each of the five.

At-all-events—the MCC have broken new ground. They have never held an inquiry on these lines before, we must wait to see what happens when they do. Necessarily we shall be a lot greyer before anything happens.

## WORK FOR HENDREN

Patsy Hendren, now in charge of the Hove nursery for young Sussex cricketers, will have his eye on 18-year-old Peter Bromley, of Worthing High School, 16-year-old Donald Bates, of Hove County School and Keith Jenkin, captain of Hurst College.

Bromley is a consistent medium-pace bowler, Bates is fast-medium, and Jenkin a forceful bat in whose style there is something suggestive of Wally Hammond.

All these took part in the tour of the Sussex Young Amateurs, in which they were unbeaten for the fourth successive year.

Recently we mentioned another promising bowler, Peter

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- 1. Logs behind
- 2. False god
- 3. Old English (ab.)
- 4. Unit or weight
- 5. Avenue (ab.)
- 6. Transport (ab.)
- 7. Individual
- 8. Rodents
- 9. Rub out
- 10. Social insects

## DOWN

- 1. Arkansas' capital is Rock
- 2. Smell
- 3. Electrified particle
- 4. Time limit (ab.)
- 5. Roams
- 6. Observe
- 7. Police stakes
- 8. Hop's kin
- 9. Speed
- 10. Egyptian sun god

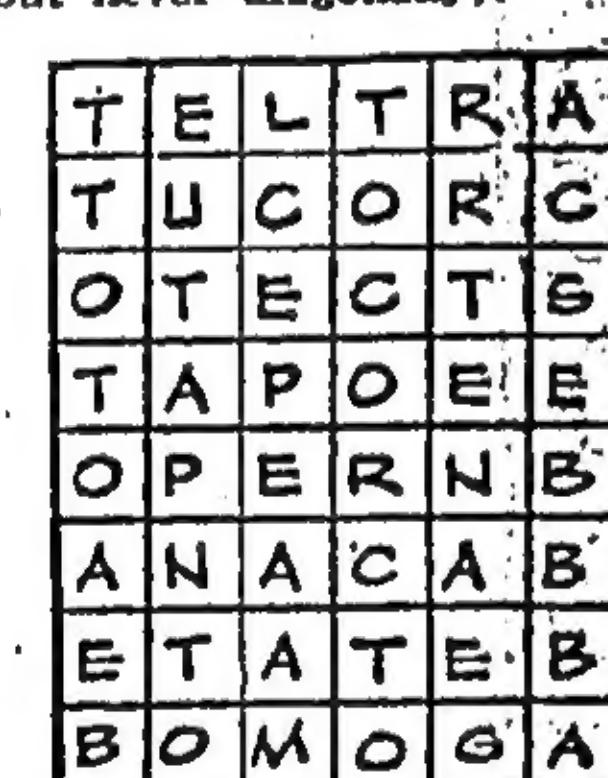
## POVERS

- 1. In the bee business you must mind your D's and Q's. They stand for what?
- 2. Robin Hood lived in what forest?

- 3. What have the following in common: eye-neyo, drill and lomur?
- 4. What race of people has the largest population on earth?
- 5. Who was called the "father of American literature?"

## VEGETABLE SQUARE

Nine vegetables are hidden in this square. Discover them by finding the right starting point, then reading each letter either up, down, backward, or forward (but never diagonally):



Rupert's Queer Path—36



## ANIMAL RHYMES

- 1. My ears flap, my eyes are wide,
- 2. I do tricks, sleep all winter.
- 3. Want a hug? I'm a hister.
- 4. My tail is long, I'm quite mild.

- 5. I love the hearth and a child.
- 6. I'm feathered and very wise.
- 7. Sleep by day and have large eyes.
- 8. I'm a lovely swimming bird, I'm black or white, have you heard?

- 9. I'm a fluffy little cat, I'm a hister.
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## CHURCH NOTICES

## CATHOLIC CHURCHES

## CHURCH OF ENGLAND

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL  
(Garden Road.)

HONG KONG  
11th September 13th Sunday after Trinity  
Holy Communion at 8 a.m. 9 a.m. Masses with sermon.  
11 a.m. Matins & Sermon.  
Preacher: The Rev. George She.  
M.A. (Broadcast).  
12 noon—Choral Mass at 9.30 a.m.  
with sermon in English by Rev. T. Duddy, S.J. on "The Father Almighty".  
Tuesday, Choral Practice at 4.30 p.m.  
Wednesday, Holy Communion in Cantonese at 8 a.m.  
Thursday, Holy Litany at 7.30 a.m.  
Friday, Choral Practice at 8.30 a.m.  
Weekdays, Matins at 7.30 a.m. &  
Evenings at 8.15 p.m.  
Every Sunday, Sunglow at 8 a.m.  
Sunday, Holy Communion at 8 a.m.

THE CATHEDRAL  
(10 Cage Road, Tel. 22704)

SUNDAY, 11th Sept.—Holy Mass at 8 a.m. & 11 a.m. Masses with sermon in Chinese. 8 a.m. Choral Mass. 12 noon—Matins & Sermon.

Tuesday, Choral Practice at 8.30 a.m.  
Wednesday, Holy Communion in Cantonese at 8 a.m.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH  
(11th September, 1949.)

Sunday, 11th Sunday after Trinity  
Holy Communion at 8 a.m. 9 a.m. Masses with sermon.

11 a.m. Matins & Sermon.  
Preacher: The Right Reverend R.O. Hall, B.C.L. Bishop of Hongkong.

Wednesday, Choral Practice at 8.30 a.m.  
Thursday, Holy Communion in Cantonese at 8 a.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH  
(6 Garden Road, Tel. 22023)

SUNDAY, 11th Sept.—8.30 a.m. Matins.  
First Mass, 9.30 a.m. Mass followed by Special Evensong for H.M. Forces with sermon in English by Rev. T. Duddy, S.J. on "The Father Almighty".

10.30 a.m.—Choral Mass with sermon in English.

Weekdays—Masses at 8.30 a.m. & 7.30 a.m.

ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH  
(2A Broadband Rd., Happy Valley, Tel. 27037)

SUNDAY, 11th Sept.—7.15 a.m. Masses with sermon in Chinese. 8.30 a.m.—Choral Mass followed by Benediction—General Conference of the Catholic Action English Section.

10.30 a.m.—Masses with sermon in English.

Wednesday, 2.30 p.m.—Bible Reading Fellowship.

STANLEY GARRISON  
CHURCH

MONDAY, 12th Sept.—8.30 a.m. Holy Communion.

9.30 a.m. Mass and Holy Communion.

(Roman Catholic)

10.00 a.m. Service for H.M. Forces.

(Church of England and Other Denominations)

10.30 a.m. Sunday School.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH  
(Missions to Seamen)

Holy Communion 8.00 a.m.

Evening Prayer 7.00 p.m.

CHRIST CHURCH  
(Kowloon Tong)

Mon. Tues. Fri. Sat. H.C. at 7.45 a.m.

Wed. H.C. at 7.15 a.m. Sunday

11th September, 12th Sunday after Trinity.

12.30 p.m.—Holy Communion.

1.30 p.m.—Family Worship.

1.30 p.m.—High Communion.

2.30 p.m.—Holy Baptism.

3.30 p.m.—Evening Prayer.

12.00 p.m.—Scouts.

1.00 p.m.—Girl Guides.

2.00 p.m.—Children's Excursion.

3.00 p.m.—Forces "At Home" evening.

Services specially welcome.

THE ASSEMBLY AT  
DUDDELL STREET  
GOSPEL HALL  
Hong Kong.

(Between the Bank of China and the National City Bank of New York.)

Sunday 11 a.m. Breaking-of-Bread.

(for believers only).

Sunday 8 p.m. Gospel Service.

Monday 8 p.m. Special Meeting for members.

Saturday 3 p.m. Young People's Fellowship Meeting.

Services in English. All welcome.

BIBLE AUDITORIUM  
(Chatham & Mody Rd., Kowloon)

8.30 a.m. Sat. Night Bible School.

8.00 p.m. Preaching.

MEMORIAL CHURCH  
(17 Veneris Rd., Happy Valley, Hongkong.)

7.30 p.m. Thurs.

Del amore & Melasne—Evangelists:

Saturday, 8 p.m. School for Adults, Young People and Children.

8.00 p.m. Sermon & Guest Speaker.

8.30 p.m. Bible Lecture "Seven Seals of Revelation".

Sunday, 9 a.m. "Eating at Jezabel's Table".

11.00 a.m. Mandarin Preaching Service.

Wednesday, 8 p.m.

8.30 p.m. "Seven Thunders of Revelation".

(To be given Thursday night on the North side).

Each address is preceded by a musical programme.

ENGLISH METHODIST  
CHURCH

(Queen's Road East, Corner of Kennedy Road.)

Sunday, Sept. 11. 8.30 a.m. Service.

11.00 a.m. 10.30 a.m. Ward Hartman.

12.30 p.m. Preacher: Rev. Mr. L.

6.00 p.m. Hour in the Bellars and Soldiers Home.

(All services invited).

Wednesday, Sept. 15.

8.30 p.m. Devotional Service in the S. and S. Home.

Thursday, Sept. 16.

Dinner followed by Quarterly Meeting at the B. and S. Home at 8.30 p.m.

Followed Meeting.

EMMANUEL CHURCH  
(318 Nathan Road, Kowloon)

Sunday Worship Services.

Speaker: Rev. Austin Spence.

2.30 p.m. Evangelistic Services.

Rev. J. R. Spence "She left her water-pot".

Missionary Fellowship Meeting.

Friday, Sept. 17.

8.00 p.m. Young People's Meeting.

Saturday, Sept. 18.

4.30 p.m. Prayer Meeting.

(2 Austin Ave., 3rd floor.)

• MCKENNEY  
ON BRIDGETake Advantage Of  
Opponents' Errors

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South West North East	Double Pass
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Opening—♦ Q	

BY WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY

THE pair championship at the New York Athletic Club was won recently by E. J. Keller and William A. Rose. Rose had been a member of the club only about a month when he entered the tournament, and naturally he was thrilled to win it. A bronze plaque will be mounted on the wall of the card room showing Keller and Rose as the 1949 pair champions.

The most interesting hands in a tournament are not always the perfect hands. The blindest thrill is to make your contract by taking advantage of an opponent's mistakes.

There are several ways to do it today's hand, but I want to show you how Rose took advantage of his opponent's errors. North held the opening lead of the tournament, and a double pass was made. The king and ace of diamonds, on which Rose played the nine and queen, North then shifted to the king of hearts, which was won in dummy with the ten of hearts.

The jack of hearts was led, Rose discarding the seven of clubs. North won with the queen. Now he should have returned a diamond, but instead he continued with the nine of hearts. Rose did not make the mistake of playing the ten, but played the deuce from dummy and ruffed with the six of spades. Four top trumps were played, then a diamond led to the jack in dummy. His losing club was discarded on the ten of hearts.

(Solution on this page)

## SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



## YOUR BIRTHDAY.....By STELLA

## SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

BORN today, you are tremendously energetic and active. Your original ideas will get you a long way since you usually are able to execute them in terms of practical application. Your keen mind can see through to the centre of a problem almost instantly and your vitality makes you eager to act upon your decisions at once, effectively.

Highly ambitious, you are not as practical about money matters as you should be. You may consider an artistic success quite enough. But those who are dependent upon you financially, may consider that the money element should be more strongly stressed. Learn to be a little more realistic about money and you will get along better in the conventional world, which too often uses money as its sole measuring rod of success.

You are guided, in the main, by impulse and this often leads you into major difficulties. Fortunately, you have the ingenuity to get out of your predicaments with the minimum of lost effort, but if you didn't get into them in the first place, you would have more time and energy for strictly constructive business.

Mindfulness is one of your characteristics.

Sometimes you are convivial and talkative. At other times, you are too quiet and withdrawn.

Consequently, only your most intimate friends know how to take you! Be cautious in marriage,

for the selection of an incompatible mate, no matter how physically attractive, would do disservice.

To find what the stars have in store for tomorrow, select your birthday star and read the corresponding paragraph. Let your birth-day star be your daily guide.

## SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

BORN today, you have a brilliant, fluid mind. You can never be content with things as they are, but must be constantly changing and bettering everything with which you come in contact. Your interests are multiple and you must use your sense of the practical to keep your energies pinned down to one thing at a time. Otherwise, you will be tempted to spread your energies over too wide a field for effective ness.

Having tremendous mental energy, you must not overreach your physical capabilities, for your body is not composed of indestructible

material! Learn to take regular periods of complete relaxation. If you are depressed, it usually means that you are physically tired. Proper rest—or extra sleep—can cure it almost at once.

Your literary talents should be developed for you have a definite gift for the written as well as the spoken word. As a protagonist for some worthy cause, you could use this power with great effectiveness.

Your emotional nature is strong and, you will have many opportunities to wed. Make sure that you make the right selection the first time for no matter your unhappiness, your loyalties would make it almost impossible for you to make a change or a secondary.

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# St Leger: Swallow Tail Now Clear Favourite

## STILL QUOTED AT 4-1; LONE EAGLE DRIFTS

Doncaster Track Expected To Be Firm

**London, Sept. 9.**—At the Victoria Club tonight Lord Derby's Swallow Tail was made a clear favourite at 4 to 1 at the final call over on the St Leger, which is to be run at Doncaster tomorrow.

The odds against Swallow Tail were unaltered compared with Wednesday's call over, but Lone Eagle, who had been joint favourite with Swallow Tail earlier in the week, drifted from 4 to 1 to 11 to 2.

The biggest cut in price was recorded by Ridge Wood, whose odds were slashed from 28 to 1 to 18 to 1.

Swallow Tail and Ridge Wood were the best-backed of the 14 candidates quoted.

Musidora went out a point, to 9 to 1, similar odds being offered against Krakatoa, whose price was cut a point. Krakatoa, who will be ridden by Gordon Richards, is the Beckington first string, and Ridge Wood is the second.

Royal Empire was unchanged at 10 to 1. Peter Flower's odds were reduced from 100 to 8 to 10 to 1, but the price of his stable companion, Unknown Quantity, went out from 100 to 8 to 100 to 7.

Prices were: 4 to 1 Swallow Tail, 11 to 2 Lone Eagle, 9 to 1 Musidora and Krakatoa, 10 to 1 Royal Empire and Peter Flower, 100 to 7 Unknown Quantity, 100 to 6 Marvell, 18 to 1 Ridge Wood, 33 to 1 Barnes Park, 40 to 1 Grey Tudor and Dust Devil, 50 to 1 Mon Chatelein, 60 to 1 Downington, and 100 to 1 the others.—Reuter

### LITTLE EXCITEMENT AT DONCASTER

**Doncaster, Sept. 9.**—Seldom has any major British Classic created less excitement than the St Leger, which is being run here over a mile and three-quarters on the historic lawn moor tomorrow afternoon.

The bookmakers say that betting on the race has been negligible—not one-fifth of what is usually expected for this, the last of the five British Classics.

## US Ryder Cup Players Reach Britain

### "NOT TOO CONFIDENT," SAYS BEN HOGAN

**London, Sept. 9.**—The American Ryder Cup team, which arrived in England today for their two-day golf contest with the professionals of Britain, are not expecting an easy victory.

Their non-playing captain, Ben Hogan, said at a reception in London tonight: "We are not too confident."

*Declaring that the men had had a sea voyage and had not played golf for some days, he added: "Tell your boys not to play too hard against them."*

After the Ryder Cup, the American professionals will take part in the Daily Telegraph tournament at the Moortown Golf Club, Leeds.

Here, the professionals will take part in a match-play contest with amateur partners against professionals and amateurs. The partners and opponents are drawn against each other out of a hat.

Clayton Haefner has drawn the local amateur, A. Turner, and plays the Scot, D. Cameron, and John Burton, brother of the British Ryder Cup player, Dick Burton.

Skip Alexander has drawn the English international, D.

### WEEK-END SPORT

#### TODAY

**Football—Army Soccer Trials** at Shookupong, 4 p.m.

**Lawn Bowls—Second Division League:** Filipin Club v HKCC; KBGC v HKCC; CCC v Tai Kok KCC v HKC; Friendly—KBGC v KDC.

**Swimming—Land Forces v Victoria Recreation Club** at the VRC pool 9.30 p.m.

#### TOMORROW

**Lawn Bowls—Colony Open Rinks Final:** A. P. Pereira, J. Xavier, J. Remédios & C. C. Pereira (skip) v. A. E. Atkins, G. E. Thompson, A. J. Hall & L. Sykes (skip), at the Kowloon Cricket Club, 4 p.m.

### Commentary Will Be Heard In HK

The BBC's running commentary on the St Leger is to be given by Raymond Glendenning and Richard North—will be relayed tonight by both Radio Hong Kong and Rediffusion. Rediffusion will be on the French-bred Royal Empire.

Up to a late stage it was still uncertain whether the American-bred Lone Eagle, owned by Mr William Woodward, Chairman of the New York Jockey Club, or the British-bred Swallow Tail, owned by Lord Derby, would start as favourite.

Lone Eagle, has been favourite for many weeks. He is the more consistent of the pair and has not run a bad race this season.

Swallow Tail, who was third in the Derby, has shown flashes of brilliance and has done well in his winding up gallops.

#### TWO FILLIES

There are two fillies in the field, Musidora, the Oaks' winner and Unknown Quantity. Both are considerably fancied and Musidora is third best in his winding up gallops.

#### 17 IN FIELD

Associated Press adds from London that 17 horses are expected to go to the post and a crowd of 300,000 is anticipated.

The winning purse is £14,000. Most danger to Swallow Tail is expected to come from Lone Eagle, who beat Swallow Tail over a mile and a half at Ascot in July. Lone Eagle's trainer, Captain Cecil Boyd Rochfort, is confident that he has an outstanding chance of landing his owner, Mr Woodward, his second successive St Leger. Mr Woodward's Black Tarquin won last year, and he also scored with Bowdell in 1936.

John Longden, has the mount on Mon Chatelein, a 66 to 1 chance which would probably be at even longer odds if the American champion was not riding him.

Edgar Britt, who has ridden the winners of the last two St Legers, is hoping to equal a very old record by winning again on his much-fancied mount, the French-bred Royal Empire.

The only French-trained and owned horse to take part is M. Marcel Boussac's Marvell, who has shown good form in his final gallops at Doncaster, and who will not be without friends.

#### FORLORN HOPE

There is one grey in the race, Grey Tudor, one of the forlorn hopes.

Among the other probables are the British-bred Lone Eagle, who has shown good form in his final gallops at Doncaster, and who will not be without friends.

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#### GORDON'S LUCK

Many bettors will probably follow blindly the horse ridden by Britain's champion jockey, Gordon Richards. The "Leger" has been Gordon's lucky classic and his horse, Krakatoa, will probably be widely supported.

America's champion jockey, Johnny Longden, who will be riding Mon Chatelein, has already been beaten by the British champion in two races at Doncaster this week. It will be the surprise of the season if he is the "Leger" on Mon Chatelein.

#### PROBABLE STARTERS

Probable starters with riders are: Swallow Tail (Doug Smith); Lone Eagle (Harry Carr); Musidora (William Evans); Krakatoa (Gordon Richards); Royal Empire (Edgar Britt); Peter Flower (Billy Ricketts); Unknown Quantity (Phil Smith); Marvell (Charlie Elliott); Ridge Wood (Michael Bevan); Barnes Park (Art Mulley); Grey Tudor (George Littlewood); Dust Devil (Rae Johnstone); Mon Chatelein (Johnny Longden); Downington (Billy Nevett); Geisen (Tommy Gosling); Forsthought (C. Gibson); Ugoen (Tommy Lowrey). Each horse carries 126 pounds.

#### LATE SCRATCHINGS

London, Sept. 9.—The Am Khan's Mountie and Lord Rosebery's Forsthought are non-starters for tomorrow's St Leger.

Tommy Weston will have the mount on Barnes Park instead of Athol Mulley.—Reuter.

#### STRONG PAIR

Lloyd Mangrum, the American, has drawn to play with the Scottish amateur, O. Reid, and meets one of the strongest pairs, the young Walker Cup player, A. R. Perrowne, and the Ryder Cup player, Dal Reea, of Wales.

C. J. Dutch Harrison, of the United States, seems lucky to get the Liverpool amateur, E. W. Jones, the most consistent player, but they will be well tested by the amateur, Henry Longhurst, and the professional, Kelly Smithers.

#### S. STAFFORDS MAKE HIT

The 1st Battalion, South Staffordshire Regiment, which arrived yesterday in the Colony by the Empress of Australia, this morning swung out in smart order from the Kowloon Wharves and marched through the streets of Kowloon. They later returned to the ship, where they will stay until their camp in the New Territories is ready.

In the bottom match of the first round, the American, R. Hamilton, plays with M. Lee, an amateur, against the South of England amateur, A. R. Barlow, and the Midlands professional, G. Johnston.

The prize for the winning professional is £500.

The amateur playing with him gets a solid silver replica of a silver challenge trophy.—Reuter.



"That's fine, Bobby, but all you're supposed to do is direct traffic so the children can cross the street safely."

## US TAKES WIGHTMAN CUP LEAD

**Haverford, (Pennsylvania), Sept. 9.**—The United States team, with a superior power of shot, took a deserved 3-0 lead over Britain on the opening day of the Wightman Cup lawn tennis match here.

They need to win only one of tomorrow's remaining four matches to retain the trophy for the 13th consecutive time.

The matches were played in a strong breeze, which made the ball difficult to control. Only a small gallery was present.

Mrs Doris Hart gave the United States a good start by beating Mrs Walker-Smith by 6-3 and 6-1 in 48 minutes, but needed eight match points to clinch the issue.

The United States champion, Mrs Margaret Du Pont, played a fine attacking game. She took 43 minutes to beat Mrs Betty Hilton, Britain's No. 1, by 6-1 and 6-3.

In the doubles, Miss Hart and Miss Shirley Fry defeated Britain's leading pair, Miss Jean Querier and Miss Myra Blair, by 6-1 and 6-2.—Reuter.

## KIWI VISITORS WIN LAST GAME OF TOUR

### BEST RECORD OF ANY NEW ZEALAND SIDE

**Scarborough, Sept. 9.**—By winning the last match of their English tour here today, the New Zealanders brought their record in first class games to played 32, won 13, lost one, drawn 18.

This was easily the best record of any New Zealand side visiting this country. The only defeat came from Oxford University in May, when the New Zealand batsmen were caught on a rain-damaged pitch.

**Especially strong in batting, the side produced two players, Bert Sutcliffe and Martin Donnelly, who each passed 2,000 runs, the first New Zealand touring players to do so.**

All the four Test matches were drawn.

Sutcliffe and Donnelly were largely responsible for the New Zealanders' victory over Leveson Gower's XI by six wickets today when given a chance by Norman Yardley's declaration, which left them two hours to spare.

#### THE SCOREBOARD

The final scoreboard read:

Leveson Gower's XI 1st

innings 348 for 5 declared.

2nd innings

Hutton st Mooney b Burtt 75

Simpson st Mooney b Burtt 58

Graveney st Mooney b Burtt 37

Brown not out 16

Hardstaff not out 11

Extras 5

202 for 3 declared

for 4

Reuter.

The tourists played some bright cricket and showed that they were not afraid to accept the challenge. Sutcliffe scored 83 out of 151 in 90 minutes, including one six and 11 fours, and then Donnelly came along with 53, which included six fours. Altogether Donnelly scored 108 without being beaten in the match, making 145 in the first innings.

Leveson Gower's XI declared their second innings closed at 202 for three, leaving the New Zealanders to get 213 runs for victory in about two hours.

#### THREE STUMPS

All the three victims today went the same way, being stumped by Mooney off the bowling of Burtt.

Hutton and Graveney added 67 for the second wicket before Hutton missed the ball and was stumped for 75 out of 107 scored in two and a half hours. His hits included eight fours. This raised Hutton's aggregate for the season to 3,429. From the

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